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M D WARD, L D S,
SURGEON DENTIST, Opposite Commercial College, Harrison's Block, Belleville, Ont.

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DENTIST, Office over Davenport's Fur Store, Front Street, Belleville.

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LATE HAWLEY HOUSE,
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Proprietor.
Belleville, May 23rd, 1876.

B. SNUGGS,
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D. MORRICE
PHOTOGRAPHER. Rooms over E. Harrison's Book Store. 161.

NICHOLSON
HAS REMOVED HIS
LIVERY STABLES
—TO—
DOMINION HOUSE YARD,
Where he will keep nothing but first-class rigs of every description.
Office over Price's Flour and Feed Store.

THE
STADACONA
FIRE & LIFE INSURANCE CO.
HEAD OFFICE, - QUEBEC.

FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1875.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,198 00
Other Assets,	49,883 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.
(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
General Manager.
Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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Local Boards established throughout the Dominion.
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THE BAKERY AND
CONFECTIONERY ESTABLISHMENT
KNOWN AS WILSON'S BAKERY, &c., in the rear of Hyman's Hat Store
Apply
JAMES WILSON, Mill Point,
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FURS!
FUR GOODS
Sold at Less than any Other House in the Line,
To make room for
Spring importations of HATS
—AT—
HAYMES'
SIGN OF THE WHITE BEAR
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THOS. LINKLATER'S
IMPROVED WOOD FURNACE.
NOW is the time to secure one of the best IMPROVED FURNACES
IT WILL SAVE FUEL.
Warms the building quickly and at a moderate expense,
It Costs Less than Coal,
It will last twice as long and heat better, is easier worked.
CALL AND SEE THEM.
THOS. LINKLATER,
Proprietor.

A FINE LOT OF FRESH
English, Scotch and Canadian
TWEEDS,
OVERCOATINGS MADE TO ORDER,
in the Finest Style of Art
ALSO
A fresh arrival of
LADIES' CLOUDS,
WOOL JACKETS,
UNDERCLOTHING,
Cheap, at
IRWIN'S,
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HAMBLY'S
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Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.
All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered
At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.
WEDDING CAKES,
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TURKEYS BONED, DRESSED AND JELLIED
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MADE TO ORDER.
A NEW THING.
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS.
BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
PHIL. H. HAMBLY.
Feb. 10th, 1877.

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MR. WM. JOHNSTON
IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst.
Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.
Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
DOWNEY & POPE.
Feb. 10th, 1877.

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MADE on honor of 1½ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT
THOMAS McRae's
STEAM PLANING MILL,
Sash, Door, and Blind Factory
Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.
PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.
and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.
Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.
EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!
CONTRACTS
Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.
Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be
PROMPTLY FILLED
THOMAS McRAE
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THE NEW PATENT PERFORATED
Three-Ply VENEER Seated
CHAIRS!
The Neatest and Strongest
IN THE MARKET, AT
G. S. TICKELL'S.
N.B.—OLD CANE CHAIRS RESEATED with the PATENT VENEER SEAT.

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QUININE WINE!
ALWAYS GIVES SATISFACTION.
IT IS AN AGREEABLE AND ELEGANT PREPARATION,
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Sold by A L GEEN.

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No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.
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SELF RAISING GRAHAM FLOUR.
A supply just received.
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FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
AND
PROVISIONS
AT
THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.
Call at once for Bargains.
J. McGUIRE.

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Just received another large supply of
UNION
PACKAGE DYES
AT
HOLDEN'S Drug STORE
P.S.—The trade supplied on Liberal Terms

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FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL.
Sailing from New York as follows:

CITY OF RICHMOND	..	Saturday, Mar. 3, 8 a.m,
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CITY OF BERLIN	..	Saturday, Mar. 24, 1 p.m,
CITY OF CHESTER	..	Saturday, Mar. 31, 6:30 a.m,
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Passengers will find these steamers tastefully fitted up, and the staterooms large and perfectly ventilated; The saloons are the entire width of the vessel, and situated where there is least noise and motion, greatly lessening the liability to sea sickness. Smoking rooms, Ladies Boudoirs, Piano-fortes and Libraries, Bath rooms, Barber's shop, Electric Bells, Spacious Promenade Decks, &c.
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Steerage To and from all points at reduced rates.
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Feb 12, 1876 4mos

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MABLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
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REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle Street, Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876, wtf

TO THE WEST.
VIA
GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Great Reduction in Fares. Return Tickets to all principal points.
TICKETS issued to all parts, fewer changes of Cars to the principal cities of the West than by any other route. Tickets issued direct to Chicago, Fort Garry, Omaha, San Francisco, the Black Hills Gold Region or any point in the West.
Parties purchasing tickets by the G Trunk save the trouble and annoyance of changing cars or re-checking baggage in Toronto.
American money taken at par for all points west of Detroit.
Tickets can be purchased of
U. E. THOMPSON
Town passenger agent G. T. R.,
Bridge Street,
Or at the Grand Trunk Depot,
D. GUNN,
Agent G. T. R.
April 8th, 1876.

BANKING & EXCHANGE
OFFICE.
U. E. THOMPSON
BRIDGE STREET, BELLEVILLE.
A GENERAL Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Gold and currency drafts on United States Banks, and Greenbacks bought and sold at current rates.
Interest allowed on deposits subject to withdrawal without notice, at four and five per cent.

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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.
This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.
Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.
1st. It is well known, having been established over five years.
2nd It is conveniently situated.
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N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.
I. J. LOCKWOOD.
Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

Great Clearing Sale!
—OF—
BOOTS AND SHOES,
AT THE KINGSTON
PENITENTIARY
BOOT AND SHOE STORE
In order to clear out our spring and summer stock and make room for our Fall Goods, we will sell at
WHOLESALE PRICES!
For two months, commencing on Saturday July 22nd, this is a good chance to buy
Cheap Boots and Shoes.
Remember the Place
No. 367 FRONT STREET.
Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
July 20th, 1876.

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Music—Theory and Practice.
—ALSO, OF—
ENGLISH, FRENCH & DRAWING.
CLASS ROOM—One Door West of the Post Office, Upper Floor.

IMPERIAL MEASURE
Down with Monopoly.
IMPORTANT NOTICE.
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I am now prepared to furnish the public with measures of my own manufacture, made of the best material, and at moderate prices.
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I HAVE been appointed Sole Agent by the Ottawa Weights and Measure Manufacturing Company for the sale of their Weights and Measures, and shall be pleased to receive orders for the same. They are all stamped and ready for use, and of a superior quality. Purchasers will have no trouble with them.
ALBERT L. GEEN.
Druggist.

Christmas Goods.
500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,
TO BE SOLD AT COST
Within the Next TEN DAYS
At the store of the Late
JOHN TEMPLETON
FRONT STREET.
WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

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THE schooner "Gazelle" will be sold for $2,500 Cash. For particulars apply to
SAVAGE & McDONALD,
Wellington.
Jan. 4, 1876. 6m

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ENGLISH REMEDY,

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WILLIAM
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Before Taking. After Taking

SPECIFIC MEDICINE
CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, LOSS OF MEMORY, UNIVERSAL LASSITUDE, PAIN IN THE BACK, DIMNESS OF VISION, PREMATURE OLD AGE, and many other diseases that lead to INSANITY or CONSUMPTION, and a PREMATURE GRAVE, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.
The Specific Medicine is the result of a long study and many years of experience in treating those special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.
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S. C. SLOAN,
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July 14, 1874.

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FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
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R A N
D
OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

NOTICE.
AS we have sold out our business to W. Minore, Esq., who will conduct the business in the old stand, we require that all the accounts due us must be paid within one week to Mr. Minore or they will be left in court for collection.
J. GIBBARD & SON.

AYRSHIRE CATTLE.

The prominence given of late to Short-horn and Jersey cattle, and the popularity amongst fashionable breeders which these breeds of cattle at present possess, have tended to throw into the back-ground other races, which deserve at least equal consideration from farmers and dairymen. We do not now, nor is it probable we ever shall, possess any one breed of cattle that will combine in itself all the good qualities or peculiar advantages which would make them universally desirable. The great difference in tastes and necessities, not to speak of prejudices on the part of those who keep cows, will always tend to restore to popularity any breed which possesses value for a particular use, no matter how much it may have been overshadowed by the temporary ascendency of other breeds which may have sprung into fashion or repute. Just now we hear of nothing but Short-horns, Jerseys, and their pedigrees, points, premiums, and enormous money values or reputed values. While there is no objection to this, so long as it does not operate injuriously to other deserving breeds and tend to cast reproach upon them, as inferior in intrinsic value, yet when there is danger that public opinion may be misled by it, and prejudice created, it becomes objectionable, and it is to be guarded against. As to dairy cows, while the Jersey is unsurpassed by any other breed for the place it holds, yet that position is, to some extent, narrow, limited and strictly defined. As a butter cow the Jersey is probably the best that can be obtained. Having been bred for many years strictly with regard to a yield of very rich milk, she fills her place better than any other race of cows can. But as a dairy cow for the production of butter and cheese, the Ayrshire cow has been carefully bred for many years, and before the Jerseys became popular, had gained a high reputation which has never been lost, and probably never will be, so long as care is exercised in her breeding. It is not possible that the Ayrshire cow can be displaced by the Jersey, nor that any injurious competition can arise between the two for a lengthened period, because the best and fittest for any particular service will in use always keep its place. Therefore we expect to see the Ayrshire cattle become before long as popular as they ever were, and occupy the high position in public estimation to which they are entitled. The Ayrshire breed is one of the oldest in existence. As with every breed of valuable cattle we possess, it owes its origin to a mixture of races. It is possible to improve a race by good feeding, and care and skill in in selecting breeding animals; but to change entirely the character of a breed for the better, without the crossing of other breeds upon it, would be unparalleled in the history of our domestic cattle. The Ayrshire originated from a cross of the Dutch cattle upon the native race of the locality, and are related to the Short-horns through their ancestry. A hundred and twenty-five years ago, cattle were brought into Ayrshire from the English county of Durham, where the Short-horns (formerly called Durham cattle) were originally bred; and the progeny of these were soon scattered throughout Ayrshire. Care in breeding and management helped to produce what became soon a valuable breed for the dairy. They did not surpass the Short-horns, for in those days this breed was known for its dairy qualities; but they became more valuable for the locality, in which they had grown up, and for the purposes of their owners. The locality was a moist pastoral country on the south-west coast of Scotland, and the climate was such, that during the winter some hardships must be endured, such as severe wintry weather, and poor feeding, when the pastures were bare. The purpose for which the cattle were used, was the butter and cheese dairy solely; the production of beef was not an object, only the old and inferior cows being fed for the butcher. The growing demand for these products stimulated the growth and improvement of this breed, and they in time became noted as producing milk and butter, for the same quantity of feed, than any other breed in existence. This quality they still possess, and the Ayrshire dairy district still retains its reputation for its dairy produts. The method of breeding usual amongst Ayrshire dairymen has resulted in the production of model dairy cows. In respect of form, Ayrshire cows are in no way inferior to the best Jerseys. The style of bull chosen by the Ayrshire breeders has been selected with regard to this desired form. A bull of somewhat feminine characteristics has always been preferred. A fine head and neck, broad hips and full flanks, are desirable, and a very deep dewlap and roundness of hindquarters are not desired. The Ayrshire cow having been bred for one specific object, which has been most completely attained, may be taken as a model of what an excellent milch cow ought to be. In choosing a milch cow, the points to be observed are as follows: A head small, long and narrow at the muzzle; horns small, fine and translucent at the surface, bent gracefully forwards, and placed widely from each other; the eyes not large nor prominent, but full, brisk and lively; the neck long, and tapering toward the head, with a little loose skin below; the shoulders and headquarters light and thin; the hindquarters large and broad; the back wide across the back and hips; body deep in the rib, and on the whole wedge-shaped; tail thin and long; legs fine in the bone, and short, with firm neat joints; udder square and capacious, but not hanging low, reaching well forward, and not fleshy, but loose when empty; teats moderately long and small, pointing outwards, and set wide apart from each other; skin loose, thin, and yellow in color; hair soft, fine, and well covering the skin; the figure, when in good condition, handsome and well proportioned, with no aptitude to take on flesh or fat; and finally, the disposition should be gentle, docile, fearless, and not easily disturbed. An animal with such a structure must be a good feeder, and possess an excellent digestive capacity, with no waste places on which her food can be expended, and all the animal functions will be exercised in the direction of profitable production of milk. The Ayrshire possesses all these good points in a remarkable degree. While she is of a quiet disposition, she is, like all high-bred animals, nervous when ill-used or under restraint, and resents such treatment by witholding her milk, or by manifestations of anger. Kind and gentle treatment is therefore necessary with the Ayrshire cow, and the petting and fondling which the kind owner of a beautiful animal is always ready to bestow upon her, will render her very easy to manage and perfectly docile.

—Lake freights are expected to be rather high this season.

—It is said that the Hamilton "Spectator" will shortly appear under new management.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 1.

A DEPUTATION from Montreal has waited on the Minister of Justice and urged opposition to the repeal of the Insolvent Act.

THE Government will be asked to protect business men against false reports delivered by commercial agencies, which have been the means of injuring the credit of parties perfectly solvent.

THE first of the tariff deputations that annually make a pilgrimage to Ottawa, with the object of interviewing the Finance Minister, has put in an appearance at the Capital. The Ontario and Quebec brewers oppose the increased tax on malt.

MR. COOK has introduced a Bill to obolish the envelope system in connection with voting by ballot. He holds that fraud is more easily practiced by means of the envelope, and that a change is necessary in the interest of political morality.

MR. M. C. CAMERON yesterday resigned the leadership of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, alleging as his reason that he no longer has the confidence of his party. The question now is, who will be his successor? Macdougall, Boultbee, Meredith, Scott or who?

MR. POPE, of Campton, put an absurd but highly amusing anti-climax on the ceremony of introducing M. Roy to the House on Tuesday evening. He continued the debate that had been interrupted by Roy's entrance in these words:—"I would call the attention of the House to this exceedingly small item." This unintentional hit took well and caused great merriment, but M. Roy could scarcely see the point.

THE Ottawa *Citizen* says that should Sir John "formulate" his charges against the Government Ministerial journals will cry out "Sir John Macdonald is retarding political legislation." And further, should he substantiate those charges "a subservient majority will whitewash the culprits." There's the difficulty. A large majority of the House believe Mr. Mackenzie an honest, upright politician and refuse to sanction the Opposition slanders. Hence those tears.

THE prospects now are that there will be no more trouble between Turkey and Servia—at present. The peace negotiations are reported as being successful. The Turks are to evacuate Servian territory immediately, and Servia gives guarantees of future good conduct. The armistice terminates to-day, so that the result of the negotiations is reached in time to avoid further hostilities. Russia has now no real grievance and, we are informed, will demobilize her troops.

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE.

The discussion which took place in the Local Legislature on Tuesday, when the grant of $15,000 to the School of Agriculture came up for concurrence, was highly interesting and instructive. We have, on a former occasion, expressed the opinion that this "Model Farm," so called, was not meeting the expectations of the public in every respect, and that the amount annually expended in its maintenance could be put to better use. It is quite evident, from what was said by those who took part in the debate, that our opinion is endorsed by a large number of the members of the House. The proposition that County Councils should have the privilege of nominating one or more pupils to attend the Institution is both impracticable and absurd. So long as the Government decides to maintain the Agricultural College it should be conducted on the same principles as at present. Our objections are to the outlay *in toto*, believing as we do that the benefit derived from the School is by no means commensurate with the expense the Province is annually subjected to. It has transpired that the majority of the pupils in attendance are from the towns and cities, and not likely to have a preference for agricultural pursuits. This entirely bears out our conclusions, and at once proclaims the unpopularity of the Institution among those for whose special interest it was founded. Mr. Hardy, although zealous in his defence of the School, admitted that the Principal had attributed the want of support to the indifference of the farming community, and that if it failed the farmers would be responsible. What better proof do we need that the Institution does not offer sufficient inducements to tempt farmers' sons to undertake a course? Those who have the ambition to excel in agricultural pursuits are the very ones to apply scientific principles, and study improved systems, without the aid of a college training. Their farms, in most instances, will serve as a "model" to quite as good advantage as the Government institution at Guelph. The action of the majority in voting down the amendments offered to the Ministerial policy was perfectly justifiable under the circumstances. No preference should be shown to farmers' sons, so long as the applicants are in pursuit of agricultural knowledge to be used for agricultural purposes. The son of a mechanic, merchant, or lawyer, for that matter, if he honestly intends to follow farming as a means of procuring a livelihood, is entitled to admission and equal rights as a student. But we doubt whether half of those who graduate with a diploma entitling them to the rank of scientific agriculturists have the least intention of using the information they have received for practical purposes on the farm. Perhaps the result may be different from what we predict, and if so we shall cheerfully confess our error. At present, however, the indications are against the success of the School of Agriculture.

LANGEVIN UNSEATED.

Yesterday judgment was given in the Supreme Court on the celebrated Charlevoix election case, and the respondent, Hon. H. L. Langevin, was unseated and narrowly escaped disqualification. Clerical interference was the ground upon which the decision was founded, and the result will undoubtedly have a wholesome influence on the political operations of the clergy of the Province of Quebec. The Judges were unanimous in their condemnation of clerical interference in election cases, and declared it an extraordinary opinion for the clergy to hold that their language was not amenable to the Courts. The right to advise, counsel, and argue with their parishioners as to the merits of the several candidates in an election, was allowed; but to appeal to the fears of the voters, and threaten the pains and penalties of the Church upon them should they not support the particular person favored by the priests, was pronounced an outrage upon civil rights. The doctrine that the clergy of any denomination are above the law was vigorously condemned. The treaty by which Canada became a dependency of the British Crown guaranteed full religious freedom to the Roman Catholic Church, but that Church was at all times to be subject to the law of England and the supremacy of the Crown. Clergymen may take part in any election contest, but simply as laymen. Judge Ritchie declared that it was a difficult matter for him to arrive at a decision without disqualifying Mr. Langevin, as it was hard to believe that he (Langevin) was not aware of the influence at work in his behalf. The respondent pays all costs, which are heavy. He has left for Charlevoix, and will again contest the constituency. We repeat, the judgment of the Supreme Court is an important one, and must give general satisfaction.

Editorial Notes.

A CURRIER named Robert Robertson expired suddenly while at work in a tannery at Montreal yesterday. Heart disease.

THE Grangers are flooding the house with petitions, praying for the incorporation of the Dominion Grange. Their prayer will doubtless be granted.

SENATOR MCDONALD has been showing members of the Commons specimens of pure rock salt, cut by a diamond drill at Goderich. A bed 180 feet thick and 100 square miles in extent is said to exist.

DONALD MCPHERSON, a young man living with his father on lot 23, Gore of Puslinch, was killed on Tuesday night, by a load of lumber, which he was taking home, upsetting on him.

SOME of the Ottawa people wondered that the Young Britons' band could be got to turn out to welcome Mr. Roy, a Catholic. The appearance of Mr. Bowell on the scene dissolved the wonder.

MR. CAMPBELL, M. P., the *protege* of the Cumberland Cave of the Winds, recently startled the House by misquoting asscriptural the following: "Those whom the gods wish to destroy they first make *blind!*"

THE Grand Trunk and Canada Southern have pooled their passenger business between Detroit and Buffalo. The number of trains on each road has been reduced, and the tickets of one road are accepted on the other.

THE case of Stewart *vs.* Britton, arising out of the Kingston election, was argued at Osgoode Hall on Tuesday and judgment reserved. Stewart appeared for himself, and objected to Britton's charges for conducting the case.

THE St. Thomas *Times* is requested to state, by Mr. J. C. Burke, of the Elgin Brewery, that there is not the slightest foundation for the report which has appeared in a contemporary "that the brewers in this section intend to suspend operations on account of the exorbitant tariff recently imposed on them."

A ROBBERY of $529 from the cash box of the accountant of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, has led to an investigation which discloses the fact that a convict named Aitken has been lending money to several of the guards, in return for which he has been allowed more privileges than are permitted by the rules of the institution. Three of the guards have resigned.

MR. C. H. MACKINTOSH, of the Ottawa *Citizen*, got 3,592 votes at an Ottawa bazaar as "the most popular candidate to represent Ottawa at the next Dominion election," beating his rivals out of sight. Mr. Mackintosh may now be regarded as a sort of brevet-M.P., which is better than running unsuccessfully in North Middlesex, climbing out of schoolhouse windows, &c. Probably the expense to himself in the one case is not greater than in the other.

MADOC TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The regular meeting of this body was held as announced, on Feb. 17th.

In the forenoon the attendance was small, but in the afternoon a large number were present. Much credit is due to many of the teachers who, at considerable inconvenience to themselves attend these meetings, but cannot more punctuality be shown? Teaching by example is more effective than teaching by precept. Let us be punctual ourselves, and then we can consistently urge our pupils to avoid tardiness in coming to school.

The first subject (the Unitary Method, applied to an exercise from McMurphy's advanced arithmetic,) was introduced by Mr. Fuller, who solved a number of problems selected by the members.

Mr. Nichol followed with a full and lucid explanation of his method of teaching in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division tables. The method recommended is very practical and thorough and its adoption cannot fail to produce a good harvest of results.

In the afternoon the subject of analysis and parsing, with particular reference to an extract from the fifth reader, was discussed by Mr. Mackintosh at some length.

The remaining problems in the Arithmetical Exercise before referred to, were then solved by Mr. Seymour. The solutions given were thoroughly analytical, clear and neat, showing signs of careful preparation

The subject of Spelling was by request, introduced by Mr. Mackintosh. Full instructions as to the method to be adopted in teaching this important subject to every class were given.

Owing to the absense of Mr. Tait the discussion on the subject of "Promotion" was postponed.

At the close of a short discussion on the School Bill, recently introduced into the Legislature by Hon. Mr. Crooks, the following resolution was adopted *nem con*:—

"That in the opinion of this Institute no change should be made in the Christmas vacations."

The next meeting will be held on March 31st, when the following topics will be discussed:—

I. "Grammar to Second Class," (Mr. Nichol.)
II. "How to economize time in School." (General discussion, introduced by Mr. Tait.)
III. "Grammatical Difficulties." (Mr. Mackintosh.)
IV. "Promotions." (General discussion, introduced by Mr. Tait.)
V. "Question Drawer."

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

We are in receipt of the report of the Minister of the Interior, giving the work of that Department down to the close of '76. There is a large amount of interesting and valuable information respecting the following branches of the Public Service:

1st. North-west Territories.
2nd. Indians and Indian lands.
3rd. Ordnance and Admiralty lands.
4th. Dominion lands.
5th. Geological Survey of Canada.

During the past year two very important steps have been taken by the Government towards the establishment of law and order in the Territories of the North-West; and the future intension therein of the privileges and responsibilities of self government. Under the respective headings as given of the formation of the North-West Territory, in accordance with the Act of 1875, and the appointment of the Hon. David Laid, then Minister of this Department, as first Governor of these regions; of the moral and material condition of the Indians, during 1876; ditto in the Manitoba and North West Superintendencies; of the Indians still to be treated with, &c. From the report we learn that the natives in these regions are steadily improving, both morally and materially, under the direct authority of the Dominion Government. The vice of drunkenness, especially, and the illicit whiskey traffic, have been all but entirely stamped out, through the effective service of the Mounted Police Force. The remainder of the principal reference in the report may be summarized as follows:—

The one great ground of anxiety is the rapid destruction of the buffalo, which threatens, if not stopped, to deprive the Indians within a comparatively short period of the means of living. If this should lead them to settled habits and to the cultivation of the ground it will be well, but the danger is that that will not be the result. The difficulty with the Indians in British Columbia is in a fair way of being settled. There were at school in different parts of Ontario 1,857 Indian pupils; in Quebec, 394; Nova Scotia, 68; Prince Edward Island, 30; Manitoba and North-west Territories, so far as reported, 106; and British Columbia, 497; making a total of 2,952 pupils.

The resident and nomadic Indians in Ontario number 15,549; in Quebec, 10,804; Nova Scotia, 2,091; New Brunswick, 1,440; Prince Edward Island, 299; Manitoba, under the six treaties, 17,754; Arthabaska district, 2,398. In British Columbia there are 32,020, and in Rupert's Land, 4,370; making a total in all the Provinces of the Dominion of 92,518.

In the survey of the Dominion Lands in the North-west considerable progress has been made since 1871; as may be seen from the fact that since that time 10,574,915 acres have been surveyed into townships, sections and quarter sections, while 341,666 acres in addition have been surveyed and mapped. The total amount of land taken up during the season was 154,533 acres, with cash receipts $6,546.

The colonization schemes have not succeeded well in Manitoba, and the grants made to companies will likely be cancelled if the work is not presecuted more vigorously during the present season. The Half Breed lands have not been as yet distributed, but scrip to the amount of $518,083 has been issued, and is being bought with considerable eagerness. During the year 318 land patents were issued.

MR. IRA MORGAN, President of the Ontario Board of Arts and Agriculture, has been notified by the Director General of the Philidelphia Centennial that the medals awarded at the recent exposition to Canadian exhibitors, will be forwarded on or about the 28th inst. Soon after this date the Centennial banquet will take place in Ottawa, at which these medals will be distributed by the Governor-General.

YE ANCIENT FOLKS.

Editor ONTARIO,

DEAR SIR,—In yesterday's issue of your paper, I observed a communication form Mr. J. W. Sills, in which he claims that "Aunt Sally Delong," of Ameliasburgh, now living at the age of 97 years, was the first white child born of U. E. L. parents in the "Fourth Township," or Adolphustown. If Mrs. Delong is really of the age stated, and if she was born in said Township, neither of which I dispute, she certainly was the first white child born there. In Caniff's "History of the Settlement of Upper Canada, with special reference to the Bay of Quinte," I find that Daniel Cole, the father of Mrs. Delong, was one of Capt. Van Alstine's Company of refugees, who first landed on the shores of Adolphustown in July, 1784. This would be about four years later than the date of Mrs Delong's birth. However, a statement is found elsewhere in the same work that "Daniel Cole was the first settler in Adolphustown, and died at the advanced age of 105 years." It may be that he came to the Township in advance of Van Alstine's Company, but if so, by what means? Kingston and vicinity were settled by Loyalists under Capt. Grass in 1783, and the "Third Township" about the same time.

Mention is made by the author of some of the "first natives," and we find that "a son of Thos. Dorland was said to have been the first white child born in Adolphustown." The honor was disputed by Daniel Peterson. The late Mrs. Wm. Ketcheson, of Sidney, who was a Roblin, was born in 1784, the very year Van Alstine landed in the Township. The late Henry Vandusen, of Prince Edward Co., was born in 1785. Some time ago an obituary notice of a Rev. Mr. Pringle, a Methodist Minister, appeared, in which it was stated that he was born in P. E. Co. in 1780. This, too, must have been a mistake, as there was no settlement at that period, the first being in 1785. If anyone can give more definite information as to age and place of birth of "ye ancient folks," let us hear from him,

QUINTE.

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BELLEVILLE.

GRAND OPENING

THE
BARNABEE
CONCERT COMPANY
OF BOSTON,

The most popular Musical organization in the United States, have been engaged to give

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

In the above house on the evenings of

MARCH 9 & 10,

With Entire Change of Programme Each Evening.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Boxes—Lower $6.00; Upper $5.00.
Orchestra Chairs and Parquette, $1.00.
Dress Circle, 75 cents.
Gallery, 50 "
Pit, 50 "

☞ Tickets for sale at Mr. Harrison's Music Store, where plan of Hall can be seen.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert will commence at 8.

March 1st, 1877.

L KESIDE LIBRARY AT REYNOLDS'.

FRESH SUPPLY of the following popular editions of the above Cheap Library:
Joshua Haggard's Daughter, by Miss Braddon.
Going to the Bad, by Edmund Yates.
The Log of the Fortuna, by Capt. A. F. Lindley
For the King, by Chas. Gibbon.
Halves, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, "
Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
The Secret of the Island, "
Tour of the World in 80 Days, "
Abandoned, "

BELFORD'S NEW PUBLICATIONS.
Kate Danton. The Family Doom.
Madcap Violet. Ten Years of My Life, &c
Belford's Magazine for March,

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.
March 1, 1877.

Notice to Creditors.

IN PURSUANCE of Statute 29th Victoria, Chap. 28, Sec. 27, notice iss hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of

LUKE OSTROM, the Elder,

Late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, yeoman, deceased, who died on the 15th day of January, A.D. 1877, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims; a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, with their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, to Henry Vanderwaters and David Vanderwaters, the Executors of the last will and testament of the said Luke Ostrom, the elder, (Probate of the said last will and testament having been granted to them by the Surrogate Court of the County of Hastings on the 1st day of February, A.D. 1877) directed to their address at the Post Office, Belleville, prepaid on or before the Twenty-fifth day of March, A.D. 1877, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said Executors shall then have been furnished, or had notice, and the said Executors, or either of them, under the provisions of the said Statute, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated 5th February, A. D. 1877.
HENRY VANDERWATERS.
DAVID VANDERWATERS,
Executors.
J. PARKER THOMAS,
Solicitor. d3tawf1m

BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Having used Parsons & Co.'s Cockroach and Rat EXTERMINATOR, I would cheerfully recommend it to the public, as it has entirely rid my house of cockroaches, while all other preparations had not the least effect.
JONAS BARTLETT, 1 Broadway, New York.

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS.

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

METROPOLITAN HALL,
SATURDAY, MARCH 3rd,
At 8 P.M.

First Appearance this Season of
BLIND TOM,

The musical phenomenon of the age, renowned throughout the world as the *Greatest NATURAL PIANIST Living!*

At these performances Blind Tom will exhibit the marvelous gift which has gained him world-wide celebrity, and which has both astonished and delighted the greatest masters of music.

Admission......50 cts.
Children......25 cts.
Reserved Front Seats .. 25 cts extra.

Now on sale at Reynolds' Book Store, near the Post Office. 6i

BANKRUPT STOCK,
FOR SALE BY TENDER.

TENDERS for the stock of
F. M. CLARKE,

Of Belleville, Ont., will be received by the undersigned till THURSDAY the FIRST day of MARCH next, either en bloc or separately.

The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted; and in case no Tender be accepted, the whole of the stock will be offered for sale by Public Auction on TUESDAY the SIXTH day of MARCH, at 3 o'clock, p.m., on the premises on Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville.

The Stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory......$2625.82
Shop Fixtures...... 229.80
Book debts (about)...... 1300.00

Stock and Inventory can be seen on application to the undersigned.

M. B. ROBLIN,
Assignee.

ALL KINDS OF FRAMES
MADE TO ORDER,
By an Experienced Workman,
AT WALLACE'S
Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.

WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.
D. J. WALLACE.

TENDERS
FOR SUPPLYING
75 Cords of Beech and Maple
BODY WOOD,

At the Junction of the Belleville and North Hastings Railway with the Grand Junction, will be received up to

SATURDY, 10TH MARCH.

For further information apply at this office, or
C. B. DALY,
Chief Engineer, Madoc.
B. & N. H. R'y Offices,
Belleville, Febr'y 26th, 1877. td

MORTGAGE SALE
OF
Valuable MILL PROPERTY,

TO BE SOLD
By Public Auction,

IN PURSUANCE of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage from JOHN LEWIS, of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Lumber Merchant, to the Merchants Bank of Canada, which said Mortgage will be produced at the time of sale,

ON SATURDAY.
10th day of MARCH, A.D. '77
AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,
At the COURT HOUSE.
in the said Town of Belleville, the following
Valuable Freehold Property.

All and Singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being part of Lot Number Thirty-eight in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, which may be known as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the Bay of Quinte, on the west side of the allowance for road between Sidney and Thurlow, thence North sixteen degrees, West four chains eight and one quarter links, thence South seventy-four degrees, West five chains, thence South sixteen degrees, East seven chains thirty-two and one-quarter links, more or less, to the Bay of Quinte, thence Easterly following the waters edge six chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, which said piece of land contains three acres, more or less.

There is upon the said premises a STEAM SAW MILL, with Machinery complete. Also, Two Good Frame Dwelling Houses.

Terms made known at the time of sale.

For further particulars apply to ROBERT THOMSON, Esquire, Manager of the Merchants Bank at Belleville, or the undersigned.

BELL & BELL,
Vendor's Solicitors.
Belleville, 8th February, 1877 2tawtd

PRIVATE MONEY TO LEND

In Sums and on Terms as to repayment as applicant may wish.
Apply to
J. H. SIMPSON,
Barrister,
Belleville.

New COTTONS

AMERICAN WHITE COTTONS.

We beg to notify customers who have been waiting for our NEW COTTONS, that we have Just Opened several cases, embracing the best makes.

These are offered for sale at the LOWEST Rates, and

By the Piece, at Wholesale Price.

ALSO

NEW AMERICAN FACTORY COTTONS,
&c., &c., &c.

TERMS,—STRICTLY CASH.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO
Feb. 9th, 1877.

GOOD GOODS
CHEAP.
GREAT REDUCTION!
IN PRICES.
CLEARING SALE.
MAKING READY
FOR
NEW GOODS.
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BELLEVILLE, Ont.
Feb. 7th, 1877.

SPRING SPRING
NEW SPRING GOODS.

FIRST SHIPMENT
JUST RECEIVED A
A. E. FISH & CO'S.
TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

N.B.—We expect our New Spring Shirting next week.

TO RENT

THE House and Premises of the late S. M. Benson, on Hotel Street. These premises are conveniently situated, near the business part of the town, and are well adapted for a Boarding House or private family.

Apply to D. B. ROBERTSON,
Solicitor, Belleville,
or J. BENSON, Esq.,
Napanee.
Belleville, Jan. 9, 1876, oawtf

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of Twenty Days from the first publication of this notice, the undersigned, Henry Edward Holden, of the Town of Belleville, intends to apply to the Judge of the Surrogate Court of the County of Hastings to be appointed Guardian, pursuant to the statute in that behalf, of Helen Holden, an infant under the age of twenty-one years, the daughter of Erastus Holden, late of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, now deceased.

Dated February 10th, 1877.
HENRY EDWARD HOLDEN,
By THOMAS HOLDEN,
His Attorney.
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EXCELLENT
GLASS GOBLETS
—AT—
80c, 85c, 90c, $1.00, $1.25, 1.50
Per Doz n.
F. H. ROUS & Co.
Belleville, Feb. 21st, 1877.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.
WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.
Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

THE FIRST.

RECEIVED TO-DAY
ONE CASE OF
Ladies' Black & Brown Straws
IN THE
NEWEST STYLES
AND AT ALL PRICES.

—ALSO—

ANOTHER LOT of those CHEAP
2 Button FRENCH KIDS
WORTH $1,00,
ONLY 65c
AT COSTELLO'S
THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a
First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER
Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.
A Choice Stock of
Ladies', UNDERCLOTHING
WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS,
INFANTS' ROBES,
CLOAKS, APRONS,
&c., &c.,
CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.
Mrs. J. A. Dawson,
Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hall

DAILY EXPECTED
TO ARRIVE.
ONE CAR LOAD
HEAVY NEW MESS
PORK.
—AT—
W. R. McRAE & CO.'S.

Received
THIS DAY.
100 Bbls.
CHOICE FAMILY
FLOUR,
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OF
Best Make and Material,
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STOVES
OF ALL KINDS,
CHEAPER FOR CASH!
Than Anywhere else,
AT CHOWN'S
STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
361 Front St.,
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☞ HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

VALUABLE FARM
FOR SALE.

THAT Farm known as the "Ostrom Farm," being the west half of Lot 32 in the 2nd Concession of the Township of Sidney. This farm contains 100 acres, about 20 acres woodland and 80 acres well cleared land, cultivated, Frame House and Barn and Shed on the premises.

For particulars and terms apply to the undersigned Executors, or to J. Parker Thomas, Esq., Solicitor, Belleville.

Dated Belleville, 13th Feb., 1877.
HENRY VANDEWATERS,
DAVID VANDEWATERS,
Executors.
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Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express,	6.50 a m
Express,	6:10 p m
d	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express,	12:05 p m
3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mail,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 1.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

STATION LODGERS.—There were six lodgers in the lock-up last night.

BLIND TOM.—Amusement lovers should bear in mind that Blind Tom will give one of his wonderful entertainments in the Metropolitan Hall on Saturday evening next.

THEFT.—On Monday night, a window in the store of Mr. C. Bruton, Napanee, was broken and a quantity of goods abstracted from the disdlay.

ENTERTAINMENT.—A burlesque on the Grangers will be produced at an entertainment which is to take place in Napanee on Tuesday evening, March 4th.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, offers its guests the privilege of choosing the location of their rooms and floors and have made a reduction of rates on all.

CHESS.—In the return game between the Belleville, and Napanee chess players on Monday night last, the latter party was successful. Another game will be played to-morrow night.

A SUGGESTION.—As the season for cows to roam at large is near at hand, action should be taken by the Council to appoint some person to carry the provisions of the cow by-law into force.

The Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa. endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as a model establishment, will be an exception hereafter to the general complaint of high prices.

THE TOWNSEND FAMILY.—This family gave an entertainment in Hamilton on Wednesday evening when "Dickey the 3 times" was produced. Nothing less than Shakespearian characters can show off the abilities of that family.

ACCIDENTS AT NAPANEE.—On Saturday last Mrs. Tugwell whilst crossing the river on the ice fell and severely hurt herself.—On Tuesday Charles McCullough was kicked in the breast at the Grange farm by a horse which he had led to the stable.

REDUCED.—The telegraph companies announce a reduction of cable rates. People in Canada can now enquire about the health of their rich relations in the old country for twenty-five cents per word. This, of course, will be encouraging news for the rich relations.

DISLOCATED HIS ELBOW.—Mr. T. Carscallen of Napanee whilst proceeding to Picton on Monday last, in the stage, suffered a dislocation of his right elbow, by the breaking of the rear axle of the vehicle.

HAPPY BROCKVILLE.—The People of Brockville should be happy and contented as the bakers of that town supply them with bread of full and proper weight. The chief of police visited the bakeries of that place and did not find a single loaf short. The bakers of Brockville differ from many whose actions we have read of.

BADLY SOLD.—Quite a crowd collected in the City park in Kingston on Wednesday afternoon, it having been rumored that a foot race was to take place between the thirty-two applicants to fill the vacancies in the police force of that city. There was no foundation for the rumor, and the crowd, of course, scattered, in anything but a pleasant humor.

THE FAITHFUL.—The U. S. Consuls stationed in this Province have gone to Washington to be present at the inauguration of Governor Hayes as President, and at the same time to endeavor to obtain a further term of office. The true American patriot, be he Colonel or General, is now a candidate for office—in fact, patriotism is above par now, and the army of patriots is very large.

STILL CONTINUES.—The mild spring like weather still continues in peace of all predictions and signs to the contrary, and February 1877 will long be remembered as the mildest second month in the year on record. The stability of old adages has been broken and now we may expect that as March has come in as a lamb, it will go out like a lamb. Hand us down some more weather prophecies.

THE FIRST.—Prof. Whish will deliver the first of a series of "Lectures on Music" in the College Chapel of Albert University, this evening, commencing at 7:30. As the lecture is free, all interested in the art, should not fail to attend. In referring to the lecture, delivered in Woodstock by the learned Professor, a writer in the *Times* thus speaks:—"The lecture was interesting throughout".—"His rendering of good music was up to all that one could desire in touch, tastefulness and expression."

THE ONWARD MARCH.—We clip the following from the Ottawa "Free Press:" Our friends of that lively frontier town, Belleville, are moving onward rapidly in the stride of public enterprise. During the past season Bull's Opera House has been completed, and judging from the description given of it by Mr. John Shea, it is not for beauty of design behind any Opera House in our Dominion. The Barnabee Concert Company, of Boston, give the inaugural opening by two grand concerts on the 9th and 10th of March. Our popular Canadian Manager, Mr. E. A. McDowell, with his excellent Dramatic Company from Montreal, will appear for one week, commencing on Monday, 12th March. The play going community of Belleville have a rich treat in store, and we hope to hear of Mr. McDowell receiving that patronage he so well deserves.

SWEPT AWAY.—S. L. Purdy's mill-dam at Castleton, was swept away on Monday last by the pressure of ice and water.

NEW SETTLERS.—More new settlers are now going into the back townships of this county than for many years previously.

LECTURE.—Dr. Cadieux, the celebrated temperance orator, will lecture in the Metropolitan Hall this evening.

OBITUARY.—William Ogilvie, the oldest resident of the village of Cambellford, died on the 22nd Feb., in his 61st year. He lived in the village 35 years.

EARLY SOWING.—Abraham Michael, who lives a short distance from Brighton, sowed and dragged in about two acres of land to wheat on Monday, 19th Feb.

VITAL STATISTICS.—During the month of February there were registered at the office of Mr. Newbery, Division Registrar, 16 Births; 8 Marriages; 8 Deaths.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late D. D. Bogart will take place from his family residence, Bridge street, to the Railway Station, on Friday, the 2nd inst., at 10 a. m.

AT WORK.—Work has been commenced on the new bridge which is to span the Trent River at Campbellford. Two new piers are in course of erection, and in a couple of weeks the iron structure of the bridge will be arranged.

CURLING.—In the curling match yesterday between the Ottawa and Belleville clubs, the former was successful by 2 shots. The game took place at Ottawa.

RETURNED.—The locked horns, for which Mr. A. Dalmage received a bronze medal at the Centennial Exhibition, were received here last evening in good order.

MILLIONS.—Several families residing in Colborne expect a share of the proceeds of an estate of a late very wealthy relative in Germany; millions of dollars to be distributed.

FIRE IN KINGSTON.—A fire took place in Kingston last evening in the residence of Mr. Hance, Chief of Police. The house and furniture were badly damaged before the fire was subdued.

CONVENTION.—A convention of persons interested in the liquor trade, will be held at Colborne on Thursday the 8th March, for the purpose of forming a Licensed Victuallers' Association for the County of Northumberland.

SAW MILLS BURNED.—Mr. Waller's saw mills at the Narrows, about six miles from Campbellford, were destroyed by fire on Monday evening last. The contents of the mills, except the boiler and engine, were also burned. The cause of the fire is supposed to be incendiarism. No insurance.

OPPOSITION.—An opposition stage has been put on the route between Belleville and Madoc. The most friendly feelings do exist between the managers of the rival lines, and, unless one withdraws, chromos may soon be offered as inducements for passengers to visit that flourishing village.

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON.—Conger Brothers, have laid on our table a sample of maple sugar—the first of the season—which was made by Mr. D. Redner, of Ameliasburg. It is of fine quality and is of nice flavor and good color.

ANOTHER PROPHET.—We saw a man today who said he was confident that we would have no more winter weather this season: that he had done a considerable portion of his ploughing and sowing. He was willing to bet $7 00 that Spring had commenced. And he looked like a sane man too.

THE RIFLE.—A plan for improving the sights of the Remington rifle, was recently discussed by a number of prominent riflemen of Oswego, and resulted in a number of suggestions being made with a view to their improvement. Oswego marksmen will have to distance all American competitors, in order to obtain the principal trophies they are entitled to.

SINGULAR.—The following strange sight is chronicled in yesterday's *Whig*:—A gentleman just returned from Battersea states that yesterday a farmer in that neighborhood astonished the natives by stating that on that day he saw hundreds of grasshoppers skipping about his meadows. He furnished practical evidence of the fact by producing five of the "hoppers" in a bottle. Singular and remarkable circumstance for the 27th of February.

THE ICE HARVEST.—The ice harvest still continues, and the glacial granaries throughout the town are adding to their contents daily. A number of teams and men are busily employed at this work. It is almost superfluous to add that the crop is immense and of goodly quality, being very clean and clear. However, no matter how good the ice is, it does not affect the price of sausage unless the dog by-law is properly enforced.

RESCUED.—A single rig belonging to Joseph Starrs and a double team belonging to Stephen Delong, with a load of shingles for Big Island, broke through the ice about a third of a mile below the G. J. R. dock yesterday afternoon. Starrs' rig was got out easily, but had it not been for the exertions of Mr. James Roy's ice cutters, the other team would have been lost. The persons above named are the only ones residing in this vicinity who have had any experience of Vennor's cold dip, as by an immersion this time of the year, anyone will be satisfied that the dip is a cold one.

FURIOUS DRIVING.—Mr. T. B. Hawley, informs us that as he was driving his rig home last evening it narrowly escaped being run into by a street car in the vicinity of Brown's Foundry. Mr. Hawley states that the car and hack were racing down the street and he barely had time to get out of the way before the car and hack came along at a very rapid rate, the horses being on the jump. Mr. Hawley also says that the car narrowly escaped colliding with another one which was coming in the opposite direction. As furious driving in the locality spoken of is of frequent occurrence, it would be well if an example could be made of some one and the practice put a stop to.

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Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

THURSDAY, March 1st.

VAGRANCY.

William Henry Roswell Leavens asked to be committed to jail as a vagrant. He was sent up for a month.

THE LIQUOR LAW.

The case of Inspector Ross *vs.* Nicholas Connor was disposed of by the defendant paying costs and agreeing to close his place of business.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 27th.

Mr. BLAKE introduced a Bill to make provisions for improvement in prison discipline. The purpose of the Bill was to apply to the prisoners in the Central Prison at Toronto, that provision of the law which authorizes in cases of good behaviour and industry a remission of the sentence by one-sixth.

Sir JOHN MACDONALD approved of the principle of the bill, but he had a difficulty with regard to the provision giving power to the judge to give prisoners a sentence over one-sixth longer than they really intended to inflict.

Mr. BLAKE said the Government had in view the good of the Institution itself, besides the reformation of the prisoners.

Mr. BLAKE introduced a bill to prevent gambling practices in certain public conveyances. He said that the managers of railway companies had represented to him the necessity of bringing in a law to prevent gambling, such as three-card monte etc., in railway carriages. The present bill was designed to overcome the difficulties which railway managers met with in consequence of this serious and increasing practice.

Mr. MCCARTHY moved for reports made on the subject of the construction of the Georgian Bay Branch of the Pacific Railway, under contract by the Hon. A. B. Foster. He supplemented his motion by a long speech, and was followed by the Premier, who gave a succinct report of all that had transpired thus far, and ably defended the Government policy.

Mr. KIRKPATRICK moved the amendment for progress in connection with the granting of the contract for the construction of the Georgian Bay branch. He asked the Premier to lay before the House the evidence which satisfied him that the contractor had provided means for the completion of the work on or before the first of January 1877, and also the reports made from time to time that such continual progress was being made as would justify the hope of the completion of that line by the time mentioned. It was upon these conditions that the Order in Council was ratified.

The motion as amended was carried.

After recess the debate on Mr. BARTHE's for the repeal of the Insolvent Act and an amendment thereto of Mr. WOOD was resumed by Mr. Ross of Middlesex.

The House divided on the amendment, which was carried.—Yeas, 103; nays, 41.

The House then adjourned.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

INTERCEDING FOR AN ASSASSIN.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Judge Keely is interceding for pardon for Weldon Packard's assassin on the ground of mental incompetency.

A TELEGRAM FROM EVARTS.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The *Tribune* prints a telegram from Wm. Evarts, dated yesterday, which says:—"Nothing can postpone a regular declaration of Hayes beyond to-morrow. I think the appropriation bills will also pass."

ATTEMPTED POISONING.

BALTIMORE, March 1.—A colored servant attempted to poison the family of R. W. Eddings by placing sulphur in muffins. Mrs. Eddings and two children are dangerously ill.

MINES TO RESUME.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 1.—The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Co. has ordered all idle mines hereabout to resume.

TROUBLE ANTICIPATED.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The *Herald's* Charleston special says:—The Trial Justice appointed by Hampton, attempted to arrest some negroes at Greenpond for burglary. One resisted, saying he did not recognize Hampton. A posse of 10 men, sent to make the arrest, was met by a mob of 100 negroes. The posse retired. The Sheriff, after consultation with Hampton, has called for 1,000 men. A bloody fight is anticipated.

THE LOUISIANA AGREEMENT.

The *World's* New Orleans special says:—The propositions by the Republicans to Nicholls were simply that protection be guaranteed negro voters as the only legal course to be followed, and no forcible measures be employed in getting rid of the Packard Government.

A LETTER FROM WHEELER.

The *World's* Washington special says:—"A letter from Mr. Wheeler says, when Hayes reaches Washington he would come uncommitted to any one concerning Cabinet positions."

A DIFFICULT POINT SETTLED.

The Packard Delegation were informed by the President yesterday that no other Government but that of Nicholls would be supported by the people of Louisiana. Any other would fail without troops.

A JUDGE TO RESIGN.

Justice Davis will announce his resignation to-morrow or Saturday. The President will leave the vacancy to be filled by Hayes.

THE COUNT TO BE FINISHED.

Washington specials to all the New York papers this a.m., report a common belief that the count will be finished to-day.

GRANT'S ORDER TO GEN. AUGUR.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says:—It is undoubtedly true that as soon as Hayes' election is declared, Grant will modify the order to Gen. Augur so as to require him no longer to maintain the *status quo*. This policy opposes the advice of some Cabinet members.

REPUBLICAN DIVISION.

A division among the Republicans over the Southern policy of the new administration already appears.

THE SPEAKER'S RULINGS.

Speaker Randall is making friends. His rulings against dilatory motions alone prevented the success of the filibusters.

A HERO REWARDED.

Wm. Oniell, the newsboy who has saved 6 persons from drowning, was presented yesterday with a silver medal by the Life Saving Benevolent Association.

COAL PRICES.

The auction prices of coal yesterday were slightly in advance of those realized in January, instead of a decline as heretofore announced which is a surprise to coal operators, as a decline was anticipated.

CHARGES AGAINST A MINISTER.

Rev. Mr. Wiswall, Master of St. John's Guild, will be examined by the State Board of Charities concerning serious charges made against his character.

BANK SUSPENSION.

The German Savings Bank of Morrisiana has suspended.

AN EVANGELIST'S WORK.

Four hundred conversions were made by Mrs. Van Cott during her stay in the 61st Street Church and more than one thousand converts are the result of her labor in three churches in New York during the winter.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

NEWS FROM COL. GORDON.

LONDON, March 1.—Col. Gordon writes that the Khedive has given him absolute authority over Soudan and the Provinces of Ecartor. It will be his (Gordon's) fault if slavery does not cease, and if those vast countries are not opened to the world.

TROUBLE IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

NEW YORK, March 1.—The *Graphic's* Beaufort special says the trouble at Blue Store is caused by the efforts of the white planters to cheat the black laborers out of their wages. The blacks struck, and Hampton's posse is trying to arrest the leading striker.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION.

WASHINGTON, March 1.—A gentleman giving the name of Littleton, called out a lady employed at the Treasury named Stoker to-day, and fired two shots at her, both without effect. He then wounded himself slightly. A mystery surrounds the affair, which created intense excitement. Littleton was arrested.

GLEANINGS.

—Sir John Mcdonald through his Toronto newspaper continues to scoff at Mr. Cartwright about his last loan, calling him a child in the hands of the Barings and the Glyns. Cartwright proved in his Budget speech that nothing but intense ignorance could induce any man to utter such criticism.

—Senator Hope and Senator Power are making a stir among the dry bones which largely constitute the Senate. In a chamber where vigor is unfashionable, the advent of plain-spoken, energetic men is rather resented. Mr. Hope made a good answer to those who complained that the present Government appointed only Reformers to the Senate, by pointing out that while Sir John was Premier there were thirty-one appointments to the Senate, of whom twenty-eight were his own political supporters. We have no doubt the present Government will have many opportunities of appointing Reform Senators before going out of office.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 1.

Greenbacks buying at	93¼ to 94
" selling at	95
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	83¼

Gold opened at 104⅞; closed at 104⅞.

Don't hawk, hawk, spit, spit, blow, blow, and disgust every body with your Catarrh and its offensive odor, when Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will speedily destroy all odor, arrest the discharge, and cure you.

Two or three colds in succession will, with many constitutions, securely establish the seeds of consumption in the system, thus converting what was originally a simple curable affection, into one generally fatal. Ordinary prudence, therefore, makes it the business of every one to take care of a cold until it is got rid of. Fortunately "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" are thoroughly adapted to remove speedily all coughs and colds, and are equally effective in the primary stages of consumption, asthma, and bronchitis. Sold by all druggists and country dealers; price 25 cents per box.

The hair is not only one of the accessories of human beauty, but is designed to protect the health; as a bad conducter of heart it serves to equalize the temperature of the brain. The nerve contained in the hair tube is frequently paralyzed and the coloring destroyed; but by proper remedies the gray hair can be restored to its original color, and where it has fallen off a new growth can be produced by the use of Halls' Vegetable Sicilian Renewer. The reproducing power of this invaluable compound is beyond a doubt. By its use the absorbents become active and nourish the bulb which supports the roots of the hair.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health.

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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An Immediate Settlement
of their accounts.
Please save yourself and us the annoyance of any further gentle hints on this subject.
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THE "WHY" IN VEGETABLE COOKERY.

We copy the following information from Demorest's Monthly:—

Why should haricot beans never be put into water to soak, as is often recommended? Because all the nutritious portion of the bean is extracted by the process. They should be washed in warm water, then in cold, be tied cosely in a cloth, be put into boiling water with a spoonful of dripping and a little salt in it, and be kept boiling for four hours. They are then excellent if served with gravy and not with melted butter. They serve as garnish round roast mutton or beef, and are excellent eating served alone or as a puree. To make the latter, when the beans are done put them instantly into cold water, when the skins will slip off. Rub the beans through a colander and mix a lump of butter with them. A little stock, or milk, or cream, is excellent mixed in.

Why should plenty of fast boiling water be used in boiling vegetables, potatoes excepted? Because the greater the body of boiling water the greater the heat. If only a little water be used the whole affair soon cools, and the vegetables become tough, so much so that no length of time boiling them will render them otherwise. Broccoli sprouts in April, if properly cooked by boiling them for eight minutes in boiling water, will be tender as marrow; but if not properly done, hours will not cook them.

Why should onions be always cut in round and very thin rings? Because the fibre is thus cut across, and in so cutting them whether for frying or for making sauce, they are rendered very tender when cooked. With turnips or carrots it is just the same; neither of the three should be split or cut in any other way.

Why should parsley never be boiled with soda—only in boiling water and salt? Because parsley, having no oil in it, would be spoiled with soda, and all flavor would be extracted.

HOW A MAN HUNTS FOR CLEAN CLOTHES.

Did you ever see a man try to find a clean shirt or a handkerchief, or something in the bureau drawer, where his wife keeps her clean linen? It mostly happens when he is in a hurry, when he has got his fireworks temper on, and his wife has got the baby on her lap, or she is up to the elbows in dough.

He finds the white arranged in such symmetrical layers as only a woman after long practice can accomplish, and he dives in a good deal as he would fish for nubs of kindling in a barrel of shavings, pitching everything right or left on the floor; meanwhile, as he fails to get the desired article, stewing and swearing and offering up selected expressions of relief to his feelings in a suppressed tone of voice, and vowing in a way especially designed to reach the ears of his wife, "that it beats the old—what's his name?—a thing cant be put where it can be found."

About this time the wife yells out from below that the article sought is right at the top, when he sarcastically wants to know if she supposes he has "got no eyes."

And then he gathers everything up in a bunch and rams them back anyhow, just as he can grab them in savage handfuls, tearing around and jerking things all over with a nervous looseness. Then he sings out in a sort of abstracted way, as if addressing no one in particular, "that he can always find anything he needs at his place of business in a moment; that he keeps a place for everything and everything in its place."

Just about the time he has worked himself into a great worry of boiling over impatience, and got the whole room in a litter, his wife glides in and lays her hand on the missing article, right in the dawer, where he had jerked it out and rammed it back again, in that quiet way a woman has of maddening a choleric husband into a fit state for the lunatic asylum.

A MIXED DIET FOR CATTLE.

Experience teaches us that cattle thrive best on a mixed diet. All hay or all grain will produce less beef than hay and grain. The animal structure of the ox also demands bulk in food, as well as richness; the feeding of concentrated food being only profitable so far as the animal assimilates it—beyond that simply increasing the maure heap at a cost far beyond its value. The ox has approximately eleven and one-half pounds of stomach, with only two and one-half pounds of intestines, to each one hundred pounds of live weight; the sheep has less stomach and more intestines, giving a smaller percentage of digestive apparatus, while the pig for every one hundred pounds of live weight has only one and one-third pounds of stomach to six pounds of intestines. A steer would thrive on a bulk of straw, with a little oil meal, that would shrink a sheep and starve a pig. Pork can be produced from clear corn-meal, while mutton requires a greater variety of food and beef cattle would become cloyed and diseased by its exclusive use. A thoughtful attention to these broad facts will change much injudicious feeding into cheaper meat production.

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J. W. BOYCE,
Photographer and Artist,
Belleville, Oct 26th, 1876.

A CARD.

To the Ladies of Belleville and Vicinity:

MISS TONER (late of Costello's) would intimate to the Ladies of Belleville and vicinity that she is now prepared to receive orders for Dress and Mantle Making. She has secured the rooms over Mrs Horne's Millinery Store on Hotel Street, (opposite the residence of Dr Burdett), and will be found ready at all times to fill all orders with which she may be entrusted. Having had a large experience, and being thoroughly posted in all the details of the business, those who may favor her with their patronage may rely on receiving every satisfaction. d3m

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I, THE undersigned, declining the business of Pawn Broker, beg to notify parties who have articles pledged with me to redeem them before the 1st of March next as the term of my license will expire on that date.

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Belleville, Feb. 24, 1875. wly

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District Agent and Fire Inspector
Belleville, [illegible] 13, '76. 6miw-1md

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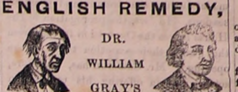

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THE FARMERS' SONS' FRANCHISE BILL.

The following are the principal features of the Farmers' Sons' Franchise Bill, enacted law by the Ontario Assembly a few days since:—

For the purpose of accessment, every farmer's son, *bona fide* resident on the farm of his father or mother, at the time of the making of the assessment roll, shall be entitled to be, and may be, entered, rated and assessed on such roll, in request of such farm in the manner following:—

If the father be living, and either the father and mother be the owner of the farm, the son should be entered and assessed jointly with the father.

If the father be dead and the mother owns the farm, and a widow, the sons may be entered under and assessed as if *bona fide* occupants or tenants under the mother, within the meaning of the "Election Law of 1868."

Every farmers son, 21 years of age, residing at the time of election, in the Electoral Division or Riding in which he tenders his vote and having resided on the farm of his father and mother, for 12 months, next prior to the return of the assessment roll, provided he is not disqualified under Sections 2, 3 or 4, of the Election Law of 1868, and is in accordance with the provisions of the act, rated on the assessment roll for such farm, at an amount sufficient to qualify a vote shall be a voter. Temporary absence of four months or under shall not disqualify.

A son entitled to be assessed, by the provisions of the act, may require his name to be entered as joint or separate owner, occupant or tenant, and shall be liable as owner, occupant or tennant, in respect to such assessment, and shall have the right to apply and complain to the Court of Revision as other voters.

If there be more than one son on the farm, and the farm is not rated and assessed to an amount sufficient, if equally divided between them, to give a qualification to vote to the father and all the sons, where the father is living, or to the sons alone where the father is dead and the mother is a widow, then the right to be assessed and to vote under this Act shall belong to and be the right only of the father and such of the eldest or elder of said sons to whom the amount at which the farm is rated and assessed will, when equally divided between them, give the qualification to vote; provided, moreover, that if the amount at which the farm is so rated and assessed is insufficient, if equally divided between the the father, if living, and one son, to give each a qualification to vote, then the father shall be the only person entitled to be assessed and to vote in respect of such farm.

If the assessment for 1877 be completed befor the passage of this act, any son entitled to vote under it, may apply to the Court of Revision to enter his name with the same effect as if the act had passed on the 1st of January 1877.

Every son qualified by the act, shall have the right to vote at municipal and general elections. The word "father" shall include "step-father."

[Provision is made in another Bill, to pass the present session, that a son assessed under this act, is to be designated in the 4th column of assessment roll, by the letters O. F. S. so as to show his liability for statute labor.]

TRAVEL, ADVENTURE AND NATIONAL COSTUMES.

MOSCOW CHURCHES.—A correspondent writing from Moscow, Russia, of the Greek churches of that city, which number about three hundred, says: "The wealth and splendor lavished upon these churches is inconceivable. The silver in them can be weighed by the ton. The silver altar and screen in the Church of Our Lady of Kazan is thirty feet high and twenty feet broad, and the chancel rail is of solid silver; and the single sarcophagus of St. Alexander Newsky weighs thirty-two hundred and fifty pounds of pure silver, besides the large amount of it on the alter above and on the screens. The eight churches within the Kremlin of Moscow are crowded—bursting, as Dean Stanley expressed it,—with untold wealth and magnificence of gems, pearls, gold and silver."

A RUSSIAN PALACE.—One of the curiosities of the Emperor of Russia's palace at Tzarskoe Selo is the horse asylum, where the imperial chargers live in snug quarters when they are no longer fit for use. Near the comfortable stables is the cemetery, where the history of many a famous steed may be read in the inscriptions on the tombstones. The rooms which present the greatest historical interest are those which were occupied by Emperor Alexander I., and which are shown exactly as he left them; and the chamber which is considered of the greatest curiosity is the room in which all the walls are of amber. Beyond the garden, in front of that part of the palace occupied by their majesties, is a little island in which there is a Russian cottage, a garden, a cow-house—in short, a complete establishment on a diminutive scale, arranged for the amusement of the Duchess of Edinburg when she was a child.

BURIED FORESTS.—Extensive forests, covering valley and hillsides, are overturned, and the uprooted trees form a gigantic barrier, which prevents the flowing-off of the waters. An extensive marsh is formed, particularly well adapted for the various kinds of mosses. As they perish they are succeeded by others, and so for generations, in unceasing life and labor, until, in the course of time, the bottom, under the influence of decay and the pressure from above, becomes turf. Far below the upper part is light becomes hard coal; the upper part is light and spongy. At various depths, but sometimes as much as twenty feet below the surface, abundance of bogwood is found, consisting mostly of oak, hard and black as ebony, or of the rich chocolate-colored wood of the yew. Such ancient forests every now and then rise in awe-inspiring majesty from their graves. The city of Hamburg, its harbor, and the broad tracts of land around it, rest upon a sunken forest, which is now buried at an immense depth below the surface. It contains mostly limes and oaks, but must also have contained hazel woods, for thousands of hazel nuts are brought to light by every excavation, not exactly for nuts. The city of New Orleans, it has recently been discovered, is built upon the most magnificent foundation on which a city ever rose. It was the boast of Venice that her marble palaces rested in the waters of the Adriatic on piles of costly wood, which now serve to pay the debts of her degenerate sons; but our Venice has not less than three tiers of gigantic trees beneath it. They all stand upright, one upon another, with their

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The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 2.

The Final Count.

HAYES AND WHEELER!

At 4.07 this morning the action of the two Houses on the Wisconsin question was read, and the ten votes of that State announced for Hayes and Wheeler. The presiding officer then said: "This concludes the count of the thirty-eight States of the Union." At 4.12 the election of Hayes and Wheeler was duly proclaimed without any demonstrations. The struggle is therefore ended, and the Republi- inaugurate their President on the 4th inst. The result is yet to be learned, ut we incline to the belief that the nation will quietly acquiesce in the final decision of the Electoral Commission.

THE favorable vote on Mr. Wood's motion to give the four month's hoist to Mr. Barthe's Bill to repeal the Insolvency Law was largely due to the logical and convincing arguments of Hon. Mr. Fa: flame.

POOR Vennor! The general impression is that the "clerk of the weather" has most effectively sat upon him. It is said that a third edition of his almanac was strangled in Montreal while it was in press, owing to the ridicule poked at his outrageous failure at prediction.

THE detectives have been unable to obtain any information with regard to the whereabouts of Mr. John Gilmour, and the worst is feared. The missing gentleman, it is thought, may have been affected mentally. It is rumoured that Macduff went to Boston.

IT is probable that the tax on iron tubes will lead to the establishment of a factory for their manufacture in this country. Considerable noise is being made over the new tariff regulations with respect to this article, but only by a few interested in the importation of American production.

THE delay in completing the electoral vote by Congress is beginning to excite grave apprehensions among the better class of people in the United States. They have reasons to believe that should the filibustering schemes succeed in defeating the count, the consequences will be most disastrous to the political future of the nation and Republican institutions everywhere.

THE Anglin case is apt to come up for debate at any moment, and it is intimated that Sir John will take the business of it off Mr. Bowell's hands and conduct it himself. This will be on account of a feeling that, owing to conflicting religious prejudices, the member for North Hastings aims at a persecution of the Speaker. It may be, however, that other motives actuate the honorable gentleman.

COMPARISONS are in order. Hon. Mr. Pelletier absented himself from the Senate for the purpose of taking part in the Kamouraska election, and Conservative organs condemned such conduct as entirely "Reform." Mr. Langevin is again out in the cold, and his friend Senator Price will spend the next two or three weeks stumping Charlevoix. Will the organs be heard from? or does it make all the difference in the world whose bull is gored?

IT now appears that the Board of Trade regulation prohibiting Canadian surgeons from practicing on Atlantic steamships really dates from 1858, but has been a dead letter until recently. Two plans are proposed to readjust the difficulty. One is, that graduates of Canadian institutions should re-qualify in one of the British medical schools. The second is, to find out whether Canadian colleges come up to the Elinburg standard, and if so, English certificates can be given to the holders of Canadian diplomas.

THE *Globe* cannot see how Mr. Mackenzie can avoid pressing Sir John Macdonald to pay into the public treasury the sum of $6,600. This amount was expended during his (Sir John's) administration, and he should either refund it or tell where it went to. There is evidently an intention on the part of the Government, or more especially those supporting the Government, to know more about the Secret Service money, and how Sir John contrived to spend $300,000 of the fund since Confederation.

THE OPPOSITION LEADERSHIP.

The retirement of Mr. M. C. Cameron from the nominal leadership of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature is an event that will scarcely create surprise or comment. His incapacity for such a position has been made manifest ever since he was entrusted by his party in the House with the responsibility. He is able, perhaps the ablest in most respects among the Opposition members of the Legislature, but he is proverbially careless and discourteous. Nearly half the time the House is in session he is absent attending to his law briefs, and when present is inclined to be captious and partisan rather than critical. Solely with a view of annoying the Government and retarding legislation, he drags his followers through any amount of dirt, and forces them to oppose measures on the most trivial pretext. In this way he has he allenated himself from their respect, and brought about the condition of affairs now complained of. Under his leadership there have been exhibitions of weakness and inconsistency that suggested the necessity to the left of Mr. Speaker entertain a hope of some day occupying the treasury benches. Very little progress towards such a result has been made during the present and previous sessions. In fact, the prorogation of the House leaves the Opposition farther from the goal of their ambition than at the opening. Mr. Cameron has, therefore, acted wisely in offering his resignation in the interest of the party. There are several aspirants for the honor, either of whom would doubtless serve quite as acceptably as the ex-leader. This may not be saying much in their favor, but it is all experience thus far will warrant.

Since the above was in type we learn that at a caucus of the Opposition Mr. Cameron was persuaded to reconsider his determination to resign the leadership and may continue to act in that capacity during the remainder of the session. His conduct in getting into a huff just because a few members of his party departed from their allegiance on an open question is characterized by his followers as very unjustified. It has not increased his popularity among those with whom he acts.

Editorial Notes.

MR. JOHN O'CONNOR POWER, the Irish M. P., now travelling through Canada, will lecture in Quebec next week.

THE friends and relatives of Mr. John Gilmour are still hopeful that he will turn up alive in a few days.

A DISEASE very much resembling small-pox in human beings is now prevalent among horses in the vicinity of Montreal. The symptoms are similar.

ROWS are of frequent occurrence between the curlers and skaters of Sarnia. The trouble is about which party shall have entire possession of the rink.

IT is stated that Mr. George Hague, the new Manager of the Merchants' Bank, intends reducing the agencies in Ontario by one half.

REV. MR RAMSFORD, a young man from Cambridge, is conducting revival services in St. James Cathedral, Toronto, to crowded assemblages.

THE mortuary reports of Montreal show that 29 children have died of smallpox since the 1st of January, whose parents had refused to allow them to be vaccinated.

A WRIT for a new election in the district of Charlevoix will be issued forthwith. It is not known as yet who will be Mr. Langevin's opponent, but it is likely Mr. Tremblay will dispute the seat with him.

MR. JAS. GORDON BENNETT, now in London, in common with the *Daily Telegraph* folks, feels considerable anxiety respecting the whereabouts of Mr. Stanley. So long a period has never elapsed between his letters. Should no intelligence shortly arrive from Africa, an expedition will be sent to find him, or, at least, procure information respecting him.

TORONTO CORRESPONDENCE

"Who Runs this Concern?"

The leader of the Opposition and the leader of the Government both spoke strongly against the principle involved in the Bill for the re-adjustment of the boundaries of North and West York constituencies. Both called on their friends and followers to come forward and vote down this private enterprise, lest the precedent would entail endless legislation in respect to every incorporated village that was at all dissatisfied with its voting privileges and boundary lines. The Attorney-General sagely remarked that he agreed with the leader of the Opposition in this matter almost entirely, but that he found whenever he did so the House differed from both; and so it proved on this occasion. The general principle that regulates cases of this kind seems to be, that wherever an incorporated village is situated partly in one constituency and partly in another, when that village becomes incorporated the electors will belong to the riding in which there were the fewer number of votes. The Bill provides that in effect the boundaries of the ridings for the Local shall correspond with those for the Dominion for electoral purposes, but the method by which this is brought about appears to be an infraction of the general rule laid down for the regulation of such affairs. The Commissioner of Public Works spoke in favor of the Bill, and with his usual fervor. Hon. W. McDougall considered it meet that the boundaries should be the same for both Houses. Mr. Scott, of Peterboro', saw strong objections to the Bill, and pointed out what he thought were its internal defects and in how far it would leave the electors under the Income Franchise Act without any definite and ascertained understanding as to which riding they would be entitled to vote in. The House believed in the Bill very largely according to the vote, but the members of the Government except Mr. Fraser and the leader of the ungovernable Opposition opposed the measure on principle. Mr. Cameron was convinced after the vote that he could not lead the erratic members of his side of the House, and declared he was no longer the leader of the Opposition in the House. Mr. Meredith could not understand the leader of the Government being so strongly opposed to the principle of this Bill and the Commissioner of Public Works supporting it. Mr. Fraser advised the Member for London to confine his lectures to his own side of the House, and taunted him with having lost his head in the motion. Mr. Cameron gave up and said, amidst the solemn stillness, that when he said he resigned the leadership of the Opposition, he meant it, and he looked convincingly in earnest. Dr. Boulter was anxious to hear a like declaration from the leader on the other side, but was ungratified.

And now the Opposition want a leader. Several might be persuaded to try what they could do with that unruly Opposition. The Honorable William Macdougall considered it worthy of him, at least he smiled gratefully when one of the Moyal tappi g him on the shoulder prophetically remarked that the mantle had fallen on his shoulders. Such a thing whole no doubt elevate the "County Council—as the Hon. Gentleman, the "father of Confederation" has been wont to style the Local House—into a little House of Lords. If the member for West Peterboro', should take the position of leader he would have to learn to speak more rapidly or the sessions would be eternal. The best thing would be to appoint "Wandering Willie," and then the Opposition would have a *leader* any way—one who would lead them, but where? No mortal tongue can tell.

Yours truly

A.—

POLITICAL NOTES.

—When the Ottawa Tories marched up to the Parliament House on Tuesday night with howls and lighted torches it was thought at first that they were about to play the Montreal game over again by burning the Parliament building as a mark of their disapproval of the Reform policy. It was soon ascertained, however, that they were only rehearsing so as to get themselves in practice for the future.

—The old "Leader" says:—"Mr. Cameron had good cause for declaring in disgust that he resigned his leadership of the Opposition. We hope he will reconsider his determination. There is no one on the Opposition benches who can assume his mantle—no one in whom the party will repose confidence. At least the presence of Mr. Cameron on the front Opposition bench asserts the presence of conscientious opposition. He has not lately, given the attention to the Provincial affairs that a professional "politician" would have extended, but he has criticized the action of the Government well and sufficiently. His withdrawal at the present juncture would be little short of a public calamity."

—This is from the Ottawa correspondence of the Hamilton "Times":—

"Not a single individual accompanied poor Mr. Langevin to the train yesterday. It is said that he was quite crushed by the cold-shoulder treatment that had for several days past been shown him. It is no secret that few Conservatives care for his re-election, as they wish some one else would take his place. The $32,000 of Sir Hugh Allan's money is a load for him to bear; for while Sir John has pretty clearly proved that he spent what he received from that magnate, there is a good deal of oblivion and doubt cast over Mr. Langevin's share. He is therefore not looked upon as a "patriot," in the Tory sense of the term, and Mr. Mason, who is better favored, is likely to take his place as French leader, and is said to have the favor of Sir John."

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

SECOND SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

WEDNESDAY, Feb 28 h.

Mr. ROBINSON brought forward a motion expressing the sorrow of the House at the death of two of its members, Mr. Graham, of Frontenac, and Mr. Flemming, of South Waterloo, both of whom died during the session. The sessional allowance will be paid to the widows of the deceased members.

The motion carried unanimously.

The Toronto Street Railway Bill again received the attention of the House, and after two divisions the third reading was carried.

Mr. CODE moved that the clause in the Education Bill, providing that County Councils should be compelled to furnish to each High School a sum equivalent to the Legislative grant be struck out.

The motion was lost on a division, and the Bill read a third time.

Dr. WIDDIFIELD'S measure respecting the readjustment of the representation in the Legislative Assembly was opposed by the Premier and leader of the Opposition, but carried by a vote of 51 to 19. Mr. Cameron then expressed the opinion that as both he Mr. Mowat had to all appearance lost the confidence of their respective followers they ought both to resign, and he then and there announced his intention of doing so forthwith.

Several Government measures were advanced a stage, and the following Bills were withdrawn:—Mr. Currie's Manhood Suffrage Bill, Mr. Rose Bill respecting jurors and juries, and Mr. Mostyn's Bills for the protection of game, fur-bearing animals and insectivorous birds.

THURSDAY, March 1st.

After routine, Mr. MOWAT moved the House into Committee on the following bills:—

Respecting the Revised Statutes of Ontario.

To provide for certain amendments and additions to the Statutes of the Province as consolidated by the Commissioners appointed for that purpose.

To provide for certain amendments of the law.

The motion was carried.

Several amendments were made in Committee, and one by Mr. Macdougall, to the effect "that a barrister hereafter may sue for the recovery of fees for services, subject to the taxation of the Courts, in the same manner as other parties," was lost.

The Committee rose and reported.

The first two bills were read a third time and passed.

On the motion for the third reading of the bill to provide for certain amendments of the law.

Mr. CREIGHTON moved "That the bill be not now read a third time, but that it be referred back to a Committee of the Whole House, with instructions to add a clause providing that no license be granted to any License Commissioner or Inspector for any house in which they were interested, and in case such licenses were granted they should be void."

A discussion ensued.

Mr. CROOKS deprecated the motion, and explained that the most competent men that could be recommended were appointed Commissioners.

Mr. FRASER thought an injustice would be done if the amendment was passed, inasmuch as the occupant of the premises of a Commissioner would have his license vested. The amendment would operate against the tenant. He did not think a ban should be put upon the property of a Commissioner.

After recess the discussion was continued.

Mr. MEREDITH moved an amendment which acknowledged the principle contained in Mr. Creighton's amendment, but deferred action till the first of June.

Mr. CAMERON advised Mr. Creighton to accept the amendment, which was carried.

The following bills were considered in Committee:—

To apply the Municipal Law to certain townships in the District of Nipissing—Attorney-General Mowat.

To amend the acts relating to the election of Members of the Legislative Assembly.—Attorney-General Mowat.

The first bill was also read a third time, and in the case of the latter

Mr. CAMERON moved that the bill be not read a third time, but that the same be referred back to a Committee of the Whole, with instructions to insert words which, in effect would make the "Voters' List" final.

The amendment was lost—Yeas, 39; Nays, 40.

Mr. MEREDITH moved that the bill be not now read a third time but that it be referred back to the Committee of the Whole with instructions to amend so that the right of voting in respect to income shall not depend upon the payment of municipal taxes in such measure by the 31st December next, or, after election, any other day mentioned in the Election Act, except with respect to voters in municipalities in which the Council shall so provide by by-law passed at least one month before the issue of the writ for the holding of the election.

The amendment was lost—Yeas, 8; nays, 61.

DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year, at the meeting of the Association on Wednesday.

President.—Lt.-Col. Growski, Toronto.
Vice-Presidents Allan Gilmour, Ottawa, Ont; Lt-Col. Brydges, Quebec; Lt.-Col. McKinley, Nova Scotia; Lt.-Col. Botsford, New Brunswick; Hon. Donald A. Smith, Manitoba; Hon R. W. Carroll, British Columbia, Hon. Mr. De Haviland, P. E. Island.

Auditors—Messrs. John Langton and T. D Harrington.

Treasurer—Lt.-Col Macpherson.

Secretary—Lt.-Col. Stuart.

A resolution was passed, giving British Columbia and Manitoba the right to send one representative each, under certain conditions, as members of the Wimbledon Team, which will consist of twenty men and two officers. The selection of the officers to command the team was left in the hands of the President.

A deputation was appointed to wait upon the Government in reference to the annual grant.

—It is claimed that if you cut off the spray of a lilac bush, and put it into hot water so as to force it, there will be a perfect bloom. This is probably another fib! Don't spoil your bushes.

—A country editor asks "What can a woman do, anyhow?" We'll bet he's never been married, or he'd know what a woman can do. Why, we've seen one weak female cook a meal, set the table, mash the cat with the poker, blow up her husband spank the children all round, and sing part of a hymn, and all inside of an hour. And she didn't appear as if she were half employed.

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March 1st, 1877.

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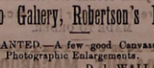

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OF

Valuable MILL PROPERTY,

TO BE SOLD

By Public Auction,

IN PURSUANCE of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage from JOHN LEWIS, of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Lumber Merchant, to the Merchants' Bank of Canada, which said Mortgage will be produced at the time of sale,

ON SATURDAY,

10th day of MARCH, A.D. '77

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

At the COURT HOUSE,

in the said Town of Belleville, the following

Valuable Freehold Property.

All and Singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being part of Lot Number Thirty-eight in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, which may be known as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the Bay of Quinte, on the east side of an allowance for road between Sidney and Thurlow, thence North sixteen degrees, West four chains eight and one quarter links, thence South seventy-four degrees, West five chains, thence South sixteen degrees, East seven chains thirty-two and one-quarter links, more or less, to the Bay of Quinte, thence Easterly following the waters edge six chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, which said piece of land contains three acres, more or less.

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Apply to D. B. ROBERTSON, Solicitor, Belleville, or J. BENSON, Esq., Napanee.

Belleville, Jan. 9, 1876. cawtf

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of Twenty Days from the first publication of this notice, the undersigned, Henry Edward Holden, of the Town of Belleville, intends to apply to the Judge of the Surrogate Court of the County of Hastings to be appointed Guardian, pursuant to the statute in that behalf, of Helen Holden, an infant under the age of twenty-one years, the daughter of Erastus Holden, late of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, now deceased.

Date1 February 10th, 1877.

HENRY EDWARD HOLDEN,
By THOMAS HOLDEN,
His Attorney.

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Belleville, Feb. 21st, 1877.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership her o'ore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON,

WITNESS—W. J. HAMOND.

Belleville, 21st Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

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LUKE OSTROM, the Elder.

Late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, yeoman, deceased, who died on the 15th day of January, A.D. 1877, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims; a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, with their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, to Henry Vanderwaters and David Vanderwaters, the Executors of the last will and testament of the said Luke Ostrom, the elder, (Probate of the said last will and testament having been granted to them by the Surrogate Court of the County of Hastings on the 1st day of February, A.D. 1877) directed to their address at the Post Office, Belleville, prepaid on or before the Twenty-fifth day of March, A.D. 1877, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said Executors shall then have been furnished, or had notice, and the said Executors, or either of them, under the provisions of the said Statute, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated 5th February, A.D. 1877.

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Travellers' Guide.

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Express .. .. 6.50 a m
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3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
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Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows :—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 2.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

BOOKED.—Mde. Rentz' Female Minstrels are booked at the Opera House for May 10th.

LECTURE.—Dr. Cadieux lectured in the Metropolitan Hall last evening. The attendance was very small.

THE HANSARD.—We are in receipt of this useful publication at regular intervals, and find it very convenient for reference.

THE CELLS.—Four tramps stretched their weary limbs on the couches in the cells last night, and whiled away the fleeting hours in sweet repose.

DIED IN JAIL.—A young man named George Stephens, aged 18, died in Peterboro jail on Wednesday. His death arose from natural causes.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, offers its guests the privilege of choosing the location of their rooms and floors and have made a reduction of rates on all.

TELEGRAPH.—The war between the telegraph companies goes bravely on, greatly to the pecuniary advantage of the general public, as the rates have been reduced.

ANOTHER ELDORADO.—It is claimed that deposits of gold have been found near Ottawa. People should be careful where they deposit the precious metal ; the safest place is a bank.

The Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa. endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as a model establishment, will be an exception hereafter to the general complaint of high prices,

FAME.—This week's issue of the Weekly "Globe" contains a picture of the rising town of Guelph. Next week, we believe, Belleville will be made famous through the same medium.

ADJOURNED MEETING.—The adjourned annual meeting of the share-holders of the G. J. R. will take place to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock in the Company's offices.

INLAND REVENUE.—The inland revenue returns for the past month are as follows : Spirits $1869.43, Tobacco $1284,40, Malt $332 06, Sundries 63c s.—Total $3485,52 ; for the corresponding period in 1876 $19,050 92.

THE "NAPANEE EXPRESS."—The proprietor of this paper has re-commenced publishing it, though in a smaller size than formerly. It will attain its proper dimensions in next week's issue.

SUICIDE.—A resident of Cape Vincent—60 years of age tried to kill himself a couple of weeks ago. He cut his throat badly but didn't die. On Wednesday he went into his barn and hanged himself with a chain.

THE BARNABEE COMPANY.—This celebrated Concert Company, will give two of their popular entertainments in the Opera House, on the evenings of Friday and Saturday, 9th and 10th of March. The troupe is an excellent one and has always drawn large houses. Reserved seats can be secured at Harrison's Music store.

MILL POINT ITEMS.—The Indian who recently shot a brother son of the forest is still at large.—The cedar mill is stil running —Chief Seth is suffering from dropsey—The meetings of the village council have of late become interesting, and it is expected they will soon become as amusing as those of other places.

THOSE NAILS.—On Bridge and Front Streets the nails which keep the sidewalk together stick up above the boards and occasion pedestrians considerable annoyance. They are almost sure to stop a lady's dress or tear an overshoe, and therefore should be driven down. Will the Street Surveyor see to this.

PARTYISM.—The Young Irishmen and Orange Young Britons of Peterborough do not entertain the most friendly feelings towards one another ; in fact none of them are as gentle as lambs. On Monday last they engaged in a cannibalistic fight in which the participants tasted each other's flesh unscrupulously, although this is the Lenten season. Whiskey originated the trouble.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—John Ballantyne of Peterboro met with a rather singular accident the other day. He was engaged in chopping wood, when a splinter flew up in the air and in its descent it struck John on the nose, cutting that organ badly. This should serve as a warnning to men who insist on chopping wood instead of allowing their wives to do it.

CROOKED BUSINESS.—A man named Cronk procured a rig from a livery stable keeper in Brighton and driving out to Hastings offered it for sale at such a small sum that the suspicions of the officers of the law were aroused, and they accordingly had him arrested at Campbellford. On Monday Cronk was brought before a Magistrate in Brighton and was sent up for trial.

GRAFTON ITEMS.—Mr. Mackechnie has purchased the old distillery and is now making arrangements with the Government for some claim it has on the property, which if arranged satisfactorily will in all probability result in the starting of the institution for some purpose.—The Northumberland Grange now numbers over 130 members. They now propose to lease the Town Hall to hold their meetings in till such time as they can build a new hall and storehouse.

A CONUNDRUM.—"How can Woman make home attractive ?" is the conundrum which is worrying a contemporary. We can answer it at once : Let her engage a pretty servant girl. Oh, give us something harder.

LENNOX COUNTY ITEMS.—The County Council meets on Tuesday next.—The Workingmen's Temperance Association will hold their anniversary in Napanee this evening.—The committees appointed to take steps to secure the improvement of the Dunkin By-Law will meet on Thursday next.—An entertainment for the benefit of the poor took place in Napanee on Tuesday evening and was well attended.

TRENTON ITEMS.—Thirty-eight tramps have been provided with lodgings in the village during February.—The School Board meets on Tuesday evening next—Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Sweet celebrated their golden wedding last Friday night—Blind Tom will show the villagers how he can punish the piano, on Monday night—The lamps in the covered bridge were broken by some rowdies on Saturday night last—Two men named Gleason and Shannon were each fined $3 00 and costs on Wednesday for breaking the peace—The special services in the C. M. Church are well attended.

COBOURG ITEMS.—The Cobourg Woolen and Cotton Factory will be in operation in the course of a couple of weeks.—The Matting Company has established an agency in Toronto.—A company of Indians will give a concert in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Thursday evening.—Prof, Whish will deliver a lecture on "Music" in the Methodist Church on Tuesday evening.—Mr. Ira Masters was thrown out of his waggon on Saturday by a runaway team, and severely injured.—The female evangelists, Miss Logan and Miss Beard, still continue their work. Their meetings have been well attended and are delightful in their character—The meetings of the Y. M. C. A. are well attended and are exceedingly interesting. Bible Classes for Ladies, Men and Boys have been instituted. A very successful carnival was held on the rink on Tuesday night.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq , P. M.)

FRIDAY, March, 2.

ASSAULT.

Charles Welch for assulting Albert Freeman was fined $5 00 and costs.

The case of Thomas Eccles vs Walter Fanning was enlarged till Monday.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

THURSDAY, March 1st.

In the Senate, Mr READ moved the second reading of the Bill to prevent the carrying of dangerous weapons.

Mr. BUREAU said this was not a new bill; it was the same as bill No. 18 introduced in the House of Commons in 1872 After it was fully discussed it was rejected on a division in the second reading. There was a law now in force on the same subject Vic. 32 cap. 20, which covered the same ground as this bill.

Mr. SCOTT said this question was one on which professional men were very much divided in opinion. In the first place, it would be a difficult law to enforce, and it would also be a dangerous power to give to the Governor-in-Council to say who should and who should not be allowed to carry pistols.

Mr. FLINT thought Mr. Read was entitled to the thanks of the country for bringing this matter before Parliament, as the youth of the country were fast familiarizing themselves with the use of pocket pistols which they used recklessly. It was time the Government should initiate legislation on this question so as to prevent the youth of the Dominion from arming themselves with deadly weapons.

Mr. SCOTT said it could not be laid down as a crime *per se* to carry loaded pistols only under certain conditions. He asked Mr. Read to allow the Bill to stand for a week.

Mr. READ said he was pleased to find that the Government had this matter under their consideration, and he would agree to a postponement of his bill for a week.

In the Commons, Mr. SPEAKER informed the House that he had received the judgement of the Supreme Court in the Charlevoix contested election case, declaring the election void.

The writ for a new election has been issued.

In answer to Mr. SCRIVER,

Mr. BLAKE stated that the very important subject of the late strike on the G. T. Railway has engaged the anxious attention of the Government. He could not say that there is any hope of preventing similar cases in future by legislation, but it was his expectation to propose to the House some measure which may have for its end the prevention of some of these evils, or at any rate securing their mitigation somewhat.

Mr. MASSON moved for an address to his Excellency the Governor-General for copies of all correspondence between the Dominion and the Imperial Governments from the month of October, 1873, to the 31st December, 1874, relating to the appointment of Senators for the Dominion.

His intention was to call attention to some remarks made by the Governor-General when in British Columbia, with reference to the Nanaimo and Esquimault Railway Bill.

Mr. MACKENZIE had no objection to the motion, although he did not feel bound to accept or act on the hon. gentleman's opinion so dogmatically expressed as to what was and what was not his (Mr. Mackenzie's) duty. What he did was strictly within the law, and was done upon his own responsibility as a Minister.

After further remarks from Sir John Macdonald and others the motion was carried.

Motions relating to the Quebec Graving Dock and Northern Light were carried, and one by Mr. McKAY (Cape Breton) with reference to a petition of Henry Mitchell and others was being discussed when the House rose, Mr. CATWRIGHT having moved an amendment.

THE ROY DEMONSTRATION.

The Conservative pow-wow in Ottawa last Tuesday evening over the member for Kamouraska, has created quite a flurry among certain zealous partisans of the "faith." The *Free Press* spoke of the "demonstration" as follows :—

"The procession consisted of a large number of torches borne by the rag-tag and bobtail, small boys, &c , of the city, following which was a waggon of particularly funeral aspect, which was at first supposed to bear the *corpse of the evening*, but which on closer inspection, proved to be a van carrying a barrel of coal oil, in charge of Guardians Graham, Walsh and Stanford, of Nos. 3, 4 and 2 Fire stations, who had apparently charge of the pyrotechnic display. Following this was a carriage drawn by four horses, containing Mr. Roy, the guest of the evening, Mr. Rufus Stephenson, Mr. Currier and other distinguished persons and foreign places. A few other vehicles came after, which did not in the least add to the effect of the procession, since it appeared that notwithstanding the liberality of the Committee in engaging hacks, the demand for the same was so slender that not more than one-third of them were occupied. *The sides of the streets in the vicinity of the station were fairly lined with members of the demimonde and hard-shells of the male persuasion peculiar to the locality*, who manifested deep enthusiasm over the arrangements."

This has aroused the wrathful indignation of the *Citizen* and certain "respectable" people, who object to being classed as belonging to the "*demi monde*" and "hard-shells." Some threaten to "slap the chops" of the *Free Press* man and make him apologize. The London *Advertiser* correspondent must also be brought to book. He wrote of the affair:—

"The Roy demonstration last night was very unruly. The crowd tumbled over each other into the vestibule of the Parliament House in wild confusion. It took considerable exertion on the part of the Dominion Police to keep the mob outside. The demonstration was the most drunken and disorderly ever seen in Ottawa and a disgrace to its organizers, who should have given their hired roughs less whiskey or not have brought them to the doors of Parliament."

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Indications for lower lakes and Middle States clouds and rain.

THE FINAL COUNT.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—At 4.07 a. m, the Hall of the House was prepared for a final reception of the Senate, and as soon as that body entered and all members were seated the action of the respective Houses on the Wisconsin question was read and the ten votes of Wisconsin were announced for Hayes and Wheeler. The presiding officer said this concluded the count of the 38 States of the Union.

HAYES AND WHEELER.

At 4.12 a. m. the election of Hayes and Wheeler was proclaimed and received without demonstration. The Senate retired and the House adjourned at 4.15.

THE LOUISIANA AFFAIR.

NEW YORK, March, 2.—The *World's* New Orleans special reports Packard is determined to resist. He is barricading the State House

SOUTH CAROLINA.

COLUMBIA, S. C. Feb 27.—Judge Wright signed conjointly with Willard, an order in the *habeas corpus* case, recognizing Hampton. Since then Wright has filed a dissenting opinion, saying he has changed his mind, and now recognises Chamberlain.

The *Herald* reports Wright as saying his convictions of law were with Hampton, but if he went against his race he would be killed. Wright's dissenting opinion will be disregarded by Hampton. Trouble is feared.

DISHONEST TRADE.

BROOKLYN, N. Y. March 2.— Joseph Ereas, importer of dried fruits has disappeared leaving unpaid $70,000 owed to creditors. He is also accused of forging his wife's name.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

DEATH OF A SCULPTOR.

FLORENCE, March 2,—Joel I. Hart, the American sculptor, died here to-day.

THE REMOVAL OF THE BRITISH FLEET.

LONDON, March 2.—The object of the removal of the British squadron from the Piraeus, is to refit the ships preparatory to a cruise during the summer.

THE CABLE AMALGAMATION.

A mandamus has been granted compelling the count of all the votes of the stockholders of the Direct Cable Company in the amalgamation matter.

MARRIAGE OF A NOVELIST.

Honorable Mrs. Norton, poetess and novelist, was married yesterday to Sir Wm. Stirling Maxwell, Bart, Member of Parliament for Perthshire. The bride's age is 70, and she is confined to her chair with chronic rheumatism. Sir Wm. Maxwell is 59.

THE PRESIDENCY.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—President-elect Hayes arrived at 9:15 and was driven to the residence of Senator Sherman, where he will temporarily sojourn. Arrangements are being perfected for the celebration of Inauguration Day.

BOILER EXPLOSION.

HUNTINGTON, Ind., March 2 —The boiler of Kocher & Baker's saw mill exploded. Samuel Hall was killed, and five others fatally injured.

RAILWAY CASUALTIES.

ELIZABETH, N J , March 2.- A lad named Hamilton was killed by being shoved off a car and run over yesterday. Thos. Mack was thrown from a car later in the day and was fatally injured.

A MURDERER EXECUTED.

AUBURN, N. Y., March 2.—Leonard Howard *alias* Edward Thomas, was executed this morning. Thomas killed a convict in Auburn prison in June 1875 and was sentenced to death, and a new hearing was granted. The prisoner died from suffocation owing to the bungling in the work, his neck was not broken.

HAYES ON A VISIT.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Hayes visited the Executive Mansion just as the Cabinet met. He was warmly congratulated by the President and Cabinet.

This and That.

—The Government grant in Forest last year was $181.

—The Grand Trunk Railway pay $1,801 taxes in Stratford.

—Heavy snow storms have delayed railway trains in Nova Scotia.

—A fishing company has been formed in Nova Scotia with a capital of $300,000.

—The Guelph Easter fat cattle show will be held on Thursday, the 10th of March.

—Mr. John Talbot, of Eramosa, has sold his bull "Lord Dufferin," to Mr. James O'Donnell, of Eramosa, for $100.

—Detroit cricketers are getting things in shape, and want Mr. Dale, of Toledo, to take care of their grounds.

—A teamster was attacked by four wolves while on the road only about four miles from Buckingham.

—During Friday and Saturday over 200 cars of cattle went east over the Great Western Railway en route to England.

—The next meeting of the Ontario Fruit-growers' Association is to be held in Stratford, on the 18th of July.

—Grain thieves are at work in the vicinity of Galt, and several farmers have suffered by their operations.

—A large oyster trade has been opened with England by the New York dealers, and so far success has attended the enterprise

—The manager of the Colored Jubilee Singers, who attemped to stab the assistant manager at Aylmer a few days since was fined $9.50 by the magistrates.

—The Canadian Southern Railway has commenced the construction of a new station at Welland. It will be completed at an early day.

—On Gull Lake, near Quigley's mill, a fine vein of variegated marble has been discovered. Some parties from Toronto who blasted it in various places pronounces the marble to be in inexhaustible quantities. A company is talked of for working the marble.

—Mr. Morton, who has arrived from England, has made arrangements for pushing operations at the Frontenac lead mine, and has ordered a number of diamond drills and a large quantity of improved machinery, which will no doubt give a fresh stimulus to the work.

SAVED FOR GREATNESS.

Madame de Eaintenon, who became the wife of Louis XIV. of France, and for the last thirty years of his life exercised a controlling influence oyer his opinion and policy, had a narrow escape from premature burial in childhood. Her parents migrated from France to the Isle of Martinque when she was ten years old. On the voyage she was taken ill, and the sickness ended in apparent death. The funeral rites were over ; the last look taken of the body, about to be dropped into the sea ; a cannon was loaded to be fired over the corpse, when the mother, who was ordinarily unloving, insisted on seeing her child once more. To her surprise, she found the heart still beating, and in a delirium of joy, declared that the child was not dead, but would recover. The hope, born of rapture, proved a true prephecy, and the little girl, so nearly given to burial in the ocean, was spared to become one of the most distinguished women in French history.

Specialties.

—Jones always remains silent to appeals of charity, and then flatters himself that he is benevolent—silence gives a cent.

—Some writers mistake the opposite of respectability for ability, and seek to build a reputation out of their billingsgate.

—About this time of the year, put your nose into the cellar stairway and see how anxious your cabbage and potatoes are to be put over the ally fence,

—The editor who can conduct a newspaper one year without making an enemy would make a very successful managing editor of a medical almanac.

Married.

On February 28th, by the Rev. W. A. Sills, at the residence of the bride's father, ROSA, second daughter of Wm. Harrey, Esq., to OAKLY VANDERVOORT, Esq., all of Sidney.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 2.

Greenbacks buying at...	93¼ to 94
" selling at..................	95
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver..........................	15
Sterling exchange	83¼

Gold opened at 104½ ; closed at 104½.

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The hair is not only one of the accessories of human beauty, but is designed to protect the health ; as a bad conducter of heart it serves to equalize the temperature of the brain. The nerve contained in the hair tube is frequently paralyzed and the coloring destroyed ; but by proper remedies the gray hair can be restored to its original color, and where it has fallen off a new growth can be produced by the use of Halls' Vegetable Sicilian Renewer. The reproducing power of this invaluable compound is beyond a doubt. By its use the absorbents become active and nourish the bulb which supports the roots of the hair.

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REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1 ; Pills 25 cents a box.

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roots spread out as they grew; and the great Sir Charles Lyell expresses his belief that it must have taken at least eighteen hundred years to fill up the chasm, since one tier had to rot away to a level with the bottom of the swamp before the upper could grow upon it.

A Swedish Inn.—Arriving at a Swedish inn, the traveller is struck by the indifference of his reception. The luggage is put down at the entrance, and he must seek for himself his rooms and the information he requires, while the landlord, with the hands in his pockets, regards his efforts from a window with languid curiosity. There is no intentional incivility, but it appears not to be the custom to welcome the coming guest, although to speed the parting guest there is an abundance of hand-shaking and hearty good wishes. The curious custom of the Smorgcs prevails at these inns, and indeed everywhere throughout Sweden; it consists in a standing refreshment provided at a side table free of charge, and comprising bread and butter, cheese, caviare, dried fish and reindeer flesh, sausages, and other similar delicacies, to be taken immediately before each regular meal, and washed down with branvin and other neat spirits. In connection with this performance the Swedes have an objectionable habit, which may be called the community of forks, as the same implement passes rapidly from mouth to mouth and from dish to dish; the rights of private property are flagrantly disregarded.

POISONED.

BY AUGUSTA MOORE.

To-day has gone from earth another victim of foul air. Again, in a home of plenty and affection, the pride and joy of all hearts lies dead—of foul air. The parents are broken-hearted. She was their only daughter—and such a daughter! Any parent might well rejoice in such a possession. Hard, indeed, would they take it to be told that they poisoned her to death. Yet such is the fact. And, further, they are so poisoning their son, their only remaining child; and themselves, also. How they have any of them managed to live until now, is a wonder. They must have been endowed by nature with iron constitutions or they would long ago have fallen. It was sad to see, a few hours ago, the hurry and rush there was in that house. The room of death was at once cleared, the bed turned out of doors: the windows may be opened now that no one in the chamber needs pure air. The still form is elsewhere. We thought as we saw the neighbors and friends so busy changing all things and making ready for the funeral, that she whose soul had just gone hence, perhaps knew now, how needless was her early death. Would she might speak in warning to those that are left behind.

"Open your windows," she would say. "Thin out the occupants of your chambers. Take out the cotton from the cracks of doors and windows, and remove the curtains from around your beds. Be less afraid that my brother may take cold than that he breathe impure air. Look well to ventilation, to the paper on your walls, change it often; see to your drains, your outhouses, your meadows, that seeds of death do not ripen in them. Be lavish of water; be careful to bathe often, O, my mother, had you spent less time in cooking needless and hurtful things, less time in polishing stoves and lamp-chimneys, and more time in studying the laws of health, I might be with you in the bloom of my youth to-day."

New England is scourged by consumption because her people will not afford themselves pure air. They make small low bedrooms, with one window, and into that they crowd themselves and their children. If it were their only room they were to be only pitied; but there is generally a great house full of empty rooms shut up all the year round. What blameworthy management! And how they are made to smart for it! If their children grow up they are feeble and diseased. They cannot be otherwise. When one person will render a roomful of air unfit to be breathed in a few minutes, what must be the condition of the stuff that is taken into the lungs where four or five persons are shut up for a whole night in one small bedroom?

To say nothing of the way multitudes neglect and destroy their own souls, there is wholesale murder of the body going on among respectable people. Fevers are constantly invited; and they come. Over thousands of the untimely dead might truly be pronounced the verdict, as over the gentle girl who has just breathed her last in the house of my neighbor, "Poisoned by impure air."—*Watchman.*

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THE CHARLEVOIX ELECTION.

JUSTICE RITCHIE'S JUDGMENT.

Mr. Justice Ritchie—They were agreed that with respect to all the charges, except that of undue influence and intimidation, the evidence was not of such a conclusive character as would justify them in reversing the decision of the learned judge and declaring the election void by reason of any such alleged corrupt acts; but with respect to the charge of undue influence and intimidation the case was very different, and several questions have been raised of very great magnitude, and even questions of constitutional law, in which all in the Dominion were deeply interested. The respondent contended that the clergy had a right to do what they did, as they were exercising the spiritual functions of their offices, which were cognizable to the ecclesiastical authority, and for which they were not amenable to the civil courts; also that the respondent was not responsible for what they did say or do, and that it did not effect the result of the election. The matter in controversy could not be considered, so far as that Court was concerned, as a religious question. The electoral franchise was a statutory civil right, and its exercise was regulated and protected by statute, and by and before the civil tribunals indicated in the statute must all questions, affecting the validity of elections be tried; and it was simply a constitutional legal question. Had there been any breach of the law the penalty must be imposed. It was essential to the very existence of Parliament that elections should be free, and therefore all undue influences on electors was illegal. The rights of individual electors were the rights of the public, and all without distinction of class or creed were interested in the freedom of elections. The Legislature had in consequence made stringent provisions to prevent any unconstitutional interference with the freedom of elections in the very plain and unmistakable language of the 95th section of the Election Act. It had been contended by the judge below that the section did not apply to spiritual influence. The section had repeatedly received judicial construction in Ireland, England, and in the Dominion, wherever the question has been rasied, and it was the duty of the Court to declare that undue spiritual influence and intimidation were prohibited by the statute. But the learned judge had gone further, and said though the law might be so in Ireland and England it was not so in the Province of Quebec. He did not suggest what the law would, in his view, be in the other Provinces, but there could be but one opinion on that point. The law must be the same in all parts of the Dominion. The rights of the Roman Catholics would not be impaired or curtailed by the decision of that or any other Court. The learned judge then referred to the Treaty of Paris, 1763, and to 14 George III., chap 83, to show that the free exercise of the Catholic religion was guaranteed to the inhabitants of the Province of Quebec so far as the laws of Great Britain permitted, subject to the King's supremacy. Every member of the Church, like every member of every other Church, was subordinate to the law. There was no man in the Dominion so great as to be above the law, or so humble as to be beneath its notice. So long as a man, whether clerical or lay, lived under the Queen's protection he must obey the laws of the land; and if he infringed them he was amenable to the legal tribunals of the country, the Queen's courts of justice. Reference was then made to the case of O'Keefe and Cardinal Cullen, 7 I. L. R., C. L. S., 371, as exemplifying this position. The question then arose, had there been any breach of the law by any of the parties charged in the petition? He regretted to be compelled to answer that question in the affirmative. All clergymen of every denomination had all the freedom and liberty that could possibly belong to laymen, but no other nor greater. The clergyman had no right in the pulpit or out of it to threaten damage, temporal or spiritual, to restrain the liberty of the voter. Legitimate influence could be denied neither to the clergy nor to the laity, and as Justice Willis said in the Litchfield case, the law cannot strike at the existence of influence. It is with the abuse of influence with which the law can deal. The learned judge then gave a statement of the facts of the case. He stated that on the 22nd day of September, 1875, the Archbishop issued a pastoral letter to the clergy of Quebec, in which many matters were discussed, and part 5 was devoted to the part of the clergy in politics, and also a circular letter of the same date, with the following paragraph:—"A priest accused of having exercised undue influence in an election for having fulfilled some priestly office, or given advice as preacher, confessor, or pastor, and being summoned before a court, should respectfully but firmly challenge the competency of the Civil Court, and plead an appeal to an Ecclesiastical Court." With these documents in their hands, which were read to the people as directed, a number of priests discussed in their churches the election then about to take place, and after considering most carefully every part of the great mass of evidence in the case the Court was constrained to the conclusion that the Rev. Messrs. L'rois, Doucet, Cinq Mars, Langlais, and Tremblay exceeded the limits permitted by law, and that certain persons were unquestionably acted on, and hindered and prevented by the threats, intimidation, and undue influence of these rev. gentlemen from voting for Mr. Tremblay, as they wished and intended to do, and but for such illegal interference they would have done. The learned judge then commented on the proof of agency, and shewed that from the evidence of the respondent there could be no doubt that these gentlemen were his agents within the meaning of the statute. The respondent, before determining to run the election, stipulated *inter alia*, that he should have the support of the clergy; and Mr. Tremblay, the candidate whose evidence on that point was not denied by the respondent, stated that in every parish the respondent declared himself to be the candidate of the clergy, and told the electors that they were bound to obey the voice of their pastor and answer to the call of the bishop. At public meetings the respondent promulgated the fact that the clergy favored and desired his candidature. With regard to those cures, in view of the fact that the whole county was Roman Catholic, and that a proportion of the people were illiterate, the learned judge could not doubt that the combined effect of the pastoral letter and the denunciations of the clergy so permeated the county as to make it impossible for him to say that there was a free election, and even if the agency of the cures had not been proven according to him so great an interference with the freedom of election had taken place as to anul the election. As to dis-

qualification great doubt existed in his mind whether sufficient evidence had not been given to connect the respondent with the words and acts of the court, so as to apply the consequences of the penal enactment of the law. The Court, however, was not prepared to say there was not such a reasonable doubt on that point as to justify it in adopting the milder view, and reporting that the undue influence was not with the respondent's actual knowledge and consent.

Judgement avoiding the election with costs accordingly.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 5.

THERE are two honorable members of the Opposition who, when they speak in the House, are listened to by a discontented few. Messrs. Rochester and Bunster are brewers, and if they do not make better ale than speeches, their customers are to be pittied more than those who listen to them in the Commons.

MR. DYMOND, the member for North York, took off his gloves when having a "bout" with Sir John on Friday, subsequent to the motion in amendment to Mr. Cartwright's financial policy. The Opposition repeatedly interrupted him, but they could not lessen the effect of his sallies at their leader, who grinned sardonically and contorted his gnarled physiognomy in vain attempts to look happy. He (Mr. Dymond) had little to say on the merits of the amendment, but he did tickle Sir John's catastrophe considerably when enumerating the charges and slanders spouted at last summer's pic-nics and bun-feeds.

MR. BEWELL has moved for information relating to several items which appear in the Public Accounts, and the Premier has courteously promised to bring down all necessary papers. That having reference to charges for advertising for steel rails, and part of the motion concerning post office printing, &c., were manifestly out of order, but Mr. Mackenzie overlooked this and acceded to the request of the honorable member for North Hastings. The Premier has expressed his anxiety to have everything as public as possible, but if he were to furnish all the information asked for by the Opposition a dozen blue books would not hold it; and, after all, most of it would be perfectly useless.

THE Hamilton *Times* Ottawa correspondent has a good word to say for Mr. McCarthy, the new member for Cardwell. He is regarded as a "coming man" of no mean proportions, and rapidly making his way to the front benches. A rapid, ready, distinct and effective speaker, he is, indeed, an acquisition to the Opposition side of the House. The only danger is that his inexperience may lead him to undertake too much, and in this way become a bore rather than a pleasure when he speaks. At present, however, there is every reason to believe that Mr. McCarthy will fully meet the expectations of his friends, and supply a desirable share of "brains" to the ranks of the Opposition. Dr. Tupper is a little jealous of his new rival, inasmuch as he shows a disposition to supplant the Dr. in financial criticism and forensic eloquence.

A MARE'S NEST.

Mr. McCarthy's motion for papers, &c., relating to the Georgian Bay Branch of the Pacific Railway provoked a discussion in the House which was remarkable for one particular feature—the acrimonious tone indulged in by Opposition members participating. The Premier's impatience and laconic replies were perfectly justifiable under the circumstances. He had definitely stated what the actual condition of the contract was, and how much had been accomplished to date. Mr. Haggart's offensive queries required reproof, and received it. We observe that the chief Opposition organ presages further investigation, and intimates that there is something decidedly "rotten in Denmark," so far as this particular charge is concerned. In thus attempting to make political capital out of the Pacific Railway the Opposition are only repeating their work of last session. Several attempts were made to censure the Government policy,—the last division of the House on this question leaving them in a hopeless minority.

THE EDUCATION ACT.

Mr. Crooks' amendments to the Education Act were, upon the whole, popular and open to little criticism. He had availed himself of the only means whereby reliable information to guide him could be obtained, and during the previous year visited nearly every county in the Province. Recognizing the inspectors, teachers and trustees as being entitled to a voice in such legislation as he proposed, public meetings were held for the discussion and consideration of certain questions bearing on the intended amendments. The House manifested a disposition to deal liberally and non-politically with what so directly concerned the whole country, and the assistance thus rendered was acknowledged by the Minister of Education. We have no doubt that the amendments will make the workings of our School Law still more complete and satisfactory, and will meet with the hearty endorsation of all educationists. The abridgement of the programme of studies for the guidance of the teachers, whereby students are burdened with less technicalities and a more uniform and practical course is introduced, is not the least of the improvements we might mention.

THE GAUNTLET.

There have been ominous signs of a coming storm, and now the clouds begin to lower. The political horizon is convulsed. The lightnings flash and the thunders roar. Sir John has boldly stepped forward and challenged the Beasts at Ephesus. He rises in his might as leader of Her Majesty's loyal Opposition in the Canadian Commons and throws down the gauntlet in this style:—

"That the resolutions not read a second time, but that it be resolved by this House that the financial policy submitted by the Government increases the burdens of taxation on the people without any compensating advantages to Canadian industries, and, further, that this House is of opinion that the deficiency in the revenue should be met by a diminution in the expenditure aided by such a readjustment of the tariff as would benefit and foster the agricultural, mining, and manufacturing industries of the Dominion."

This, our readers must understand, is an amendment to Mr. Cartwright's motion for the adoption of the first report of the Committee on Ways and Means. It condemns the financial policy of the Government without offering a substitute. It commits the Opposition to no particular theory while proposing a solace for the public grievance. It offers a compromise by means of which Sir John hopes to square his future conduct, when more propitious events encourage his action. He sympathizes with the tea-pot, but has no compunction in taxing the "poor man's" table and fire. He demands a readjustment of the tariff, but dares not mention a policy leading in that direction. The protest as it stands above is a monument of political timidity and inconsistency. Mathematically speaking, it is an admirable specimen of a *reductio ad absurdum*—something reason objects to. Mr. Mackenzie has challenged Sir John to a square issue, and expresses his confidence in the House when a vote is taken.

Editorial Notes.

LIFE Insurance agents are already beginning to arrive at Ottawa, and are holding interviews with the Finance Minister.

CAPT. S. J. MCCORMACK, who took part in Hayes' Polar Expedition in 1860, announces a projected Canadian expedition to the North Pole.

JOHN CHINAMAN, the ubiquitous John, has started a laundry on McGill street, Montreal, and is doing a thriving business.

WORK on the entire length of the Lachine Canal enlargement is proceeding satisfactorily, the recent difficulties among the men having been adjusted.

DR. COUNT DE MERVILLE is in custody in Montreal on a charge of attempting to procure an abortion. If the crime with which he is charged is proved, a severe punishment awaits him.

CHARLIE ROSS is believed to reside with a woman in St. Jean Baptiste village, near Montreal, and the Philadelphia authorities have been communicated with.

THE friends and relatives of the missing John Gilmour, who mysteriously disappeared on Sunday last, got information of a gentleman resembling the missing one at Back River, but have been unable to trace him up any farther. The streets are placarded with bills offering five hundred dollars reward for his discovery. As no trains leave the city on Sunday, the day he disappeared, it is thought that he will be found in the vicinity of Montreal.

THE 44th Congress of the United States closed on Saturday. The House has decided to reduce the President's salary to $25,000, and by a vote of 137 to 88 agreed to consider a resolution from the Select Committee on Privileges declaring Tilden elected to the Presidency and Hendricks to the Vice-Presidency. Both the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House made farewell addresses, the latter referring particularly to the late political contest. He said: "The Democratic party has yielded temporary possession of the Administration rather than entail upon the people civil war with all its attendant horrors."

THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

Every one whose opinion is worth anything will rejoice at the success that is attending this Association. The support and encouragement it is meeting with from all classes in the community are greater than the most sanguine of its projectors anticipated. The people seem to have become alive to its value and importance and it appears to have thoroughly taken root in our midst.

Though the peculiar advantages of such an institution are manifest and patent to every candid mind, still it must be confessed we were, at the outset, apprehensive of difficulties, first from apathy and indifference, arising from petty jealousies on the one hand, and a kind of superciliousness latent in some minds, on the other. And, secondly, from a certain set of religionists who can see no good beyond their own crotchets but only evil, and who, by a chronic habit of introspection, represent the pure and benevolent religion of the gospel as one of utter selfishness.

As to the first source of danger, we are glad to find it scarcely exists, in Belleville at all. There is we are happy to say a perfectly good understanding among the various classes in town. Our mechanics for instance, as a rule are thoroughly magnanimous and free from those petty jealousies which prevail in other places. They are quite willing, though this may be named the Mechanics' Institute, that all others of their fellow townsmen should partake of its benefits, be they what they may, professional persons, trades' people or any other. And on the other hand that superciliousness exhibited by certain young snobs is happily wanting in our good town, or at all events if not wholly wanting, is effectually kept under by the prevailing good sense of the community. All sections can and are uniting here on common ground, for the general good.

As to the second matter which we had conceived might stand in the way as it has done in the case of similar worthy enterprises, namely the cold shoulder given to the concern by certain parties in the name of religion. We had purposed to give these folks a bit of our mind, but on further reflection we conclude not to do so simply because it is the tendency of that class of persons to be puffed up and elated even by the exposure of their errors. They would merely be confirmed in their folly and conclude that they must necessarily be right if made to feel sore by the whip of a wicked editor. That selfishness and Pharisaism in religion so dishonoring to the name of Christianity is too much like the fabled Hydra for us to attack, for, cut off its head ever so effectually a hundred other heads more hideous will immediately arise. As we have then no intention to aid in furthering their grotesque views of religion, we will be so severe as to let them alone. Any little opposition these people have to offer to the Belleville Mechanics' Institute is rather to be courted than shunned whether it come in the form of counter organizations or petty innuendoes.

We had the pleasure of looking through that portion of the books for the library which arrived last week, consisting of about seven hundred volumes. They form an admirable collection on topics to suit all tastes—History, Travels, Adventure, Mechanical Art, Fiction, &c., &c. When all the books are forwarded there will be somewhat over a thousand, and this will be hereafter increased as the funds of the Association permit.

The Reading Room, as we previously noticed, is well supplied with all the leading newspapers, magazines, and other periodicals, and is being extensively patronized. On several occasions on which we visited it lately it was quite full, and a very gratifying feature observable was that all formality and restraint are removed, showing that people are learning common sense in the design and use of a public reading room when they will slip in for five minutes or an hour just as they are—either in smock shirt or broadcloth; right, rough and ready from the bench, or powdered and spruced for the dinner party. It is a foolish prejudice which has been found to exist in the Old Country in regard to the working of these same Institutes that has prevented all classes of the community from meeting in common, notably so in the case of the poorer people, who could not be prevailed upon to join in because they fancied they might be looked down upon by others better off. The case is very different though in Canada, simply from the fact that our working men though they may have rough hands or coats, are more dignified and manly than to be looking like their brothers over the ocean, for slights from their neighbors in broadcloth. Our mechanics and tradespeople recognize that it is the mind that makes the man, and by their dignified bearing in moleskin and smock assert their recognition, and thus make others recognize and respect them. You will never hear in this Canada of ours, John Brown say: "I will have nothing to do with that thing, because Edward DeBurgh Quincy, Esq., is into it," because John Brown in Canada is more of a man, than John Brown in England, and has nothing of the flunkey developed in him. And by the way these works, lower classes, middle classes, gentry; aristocracy, &c., should have no place in the vocabulary of our Dominion for setting forth our relations in society; their use in this way either by rich or poor implies a retrograde movement in our march to our ideal of society. And let it be understood that the employment of these words so typical of an effete condition of affairs, is equally as offensive from the lips of the poor as in the mouth of the rich; they will not be used by any one making any sort of pretension to liberal culture.

It may not be generally known that ladies are admitted as members of the Institute, but such is the case, and since the books have been received quite a large number have enrolled their names, and to our personal knowledge many more intend doing so. We hope all the ladies in town will join; come on and welcome; you lead the van in every move toward knowledge and refinement; the men will follow.—COM.

THE WINDSOR HOMICIDE.

VERDICT OF WILFUL MURDER AGAINST MUMPHREY—THE PRISONER'S STATEMENT.

The inquest at Windsor on the 1st relative to the killing of Frederick Apple by Austin Humphrey, resulted in

THE FOLLOWING VERDICT.

"That one Austin Humphrey, on the 26th day of February, in the year 1877, at the town of Windsor, in the county of Essex, on the public street, near the residence of John Davis, Esq., did feloniously, wilfully, and of his malice aforethought, kill and murder the said Frederick Apple by shooting him with a pistol ball in the head, against the peace of our lady the Queen, her crown and dignity."

HUMPHREY'S STATEMENT.

"I was working for Mr. Apple until the job was finished, and after a while I got a job at Lexington in a sash and blind factory. I intended to go there on Friday, and Apple promised to pay me that day but he did not. I had to give up going on the stage that day, because some of my tools were at the Beemsh House, and some where I boarded. I wanted to pay my board and get away, for I was afraid I would lose a good two or three years job. I had no money, and when I saw Apple again he promised to pay me on Monday, sure; so I got ready to go on Tuesday. I had a great deal of whiskey every day, and on Monday I drank considerable, and waited for Apple but he didn't come and I was in a hurry to begin packing. I went up Sandwich street and Apple overtook me. He said he had no money. Then I was vexed and wild with whiskey, and out of my head, and said: "When will you pay me then?" He said: "D——n you, I'll pay you when I get ready; not before." I said: "That's a pretty way to do. I've a notion to shoot you." He grabbed me by the thumb and bent it back, nearly breaking it. I was crazy, and the first thing I know I shot. I do not know anything more. I don't remember what happened after that."

BANKRUPT STOCK FOR SALE.

THE Stock of F. M. CLARKE, Insolvent, will not be sold on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, as advertised, but sale will take place on

Tuesday the 13th day of March

At Half-Past Two, P.M.,

BY AUCTION, En Bloc,

but if no satisfactory offer is made en bloc, then immediately in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms Liberal and made known at time of sale.

The stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory,.....$2625.82
Shop Fixtures.....229.80
Book Debts, about 1300.00

M. B. ROBLIN,
Assignee.

Belleville, March 5th, 1877. td

HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

500 CHROMOS,

MOUNTED & FRAMED,

SIZE 18X24, AT 75 CTS.

H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.

March 5th, 1877. d&w

NEW GOODS.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO

Are now showing New Linen Goods, their own importing, bought by them this season for Cash, from the manufacturers in Dunfermline, Glasgow, Dundee and Belfast, consisting of

BLEACHED TABLE LINEN,
LOOM DICE do.
HUCKABUCK TOWELS & TOWELLING,
DIAPER and DAMASK TOWELS,
KITCHEN TOWELLING,
STRIPED HESSIANS,
LINEN CRUMB CLOTHS,
LINEN TABLE NAPKINS & D'OYLIES
FINE LINEN FRONTINGS,
GRASS LINENS.
WINDOW HOLLAND,

ALSO

SEVERAL CASES OF NEW PRINTS,
All Best Colors,

All goods are now marked at prices in accordance with the strictly Cash System we lately adopted.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.,
Importers.

March 5th, 1877.

Notice to Creditors.

IN PURSUANCE of Statute 29th Victoria, Chap. 28, Sec. 27, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of

LUKE OSTROM, the Elder,

Late of the Township of Sidney, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, yeoman, deceased, who died on the 15th day of January, A.D. 1877, are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims; a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, with their Christian and Surnames, addresses and descriptions, to Henry Vanderwaters and David Vanderwaters, the Executors of the last will and testament of the said Luke Ostrom, the elder, (Probate of the said last will and testament having been granted to them by the Surrogate Court of the County of Hastings on the 1st day of February, A.D. 1877) directed to their address at the Post Office, Belleville, prepaid on or before the Twenty-fifth day of March, A.D. 1877, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said Executors shall then have been furnished, or had notice, and the said Executors, or either of them, under the provisions of the said Statute, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated 5th February, A. D. 1877.

HENRY VANDERWATERS,
DAVID VANDERWATERS,
Executors.

J. PARKER THOMAS,
Solicitor. d3tawfim

METROPOLITAN HALL!

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

WEDNESDAY, March 7th.

The great London and New York Success

DANIEL DRUCE!
(BLACKSMITH,)

Will be produced under the immediate direction of
MESSRS. JARRETT & PALMER,
the renowned Managers of

BOOTH'S THEATRE

New York, and with the Dramatic Company from that famed establishment.

☞ This beautiful Drama is one of the most pathetic description, being a tender, touching and heart stirring love story; replete with powerful situations and terrifying incidents. It will be produced with new scenery and every attention to detail.

☞ Reserved seats 75c. Admission 50 and 35c. Sale of seats commences at Reynolds' Book Store on Tuesday.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hindrances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS for SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf

THE THIRD ANNUAL

CONVERSAZIONE!

—OF THE—

MURCHISON CLUB

Will be held in the

Town Hall, Wednesday ev'g 7th

Inst., at 7½ O'Clock.
TICKETS, 20 cents each, or three for 50c.
S. A. GARDNER, Secy.

Belleville, March 3d, 1876. 3i

NEW OPERA HOUSE!

BELLEVILLE.

GRAND OPENING

THE

BARNABEE CONCERT COMPANY

OF BOSTON,

The most popular Musical organization in the United States, have been engaged to give

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

In the above house on the evenings of

MARCH 9 & 10,

With Entire Change of Programme Each Evening.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Boxes—Lower $6.00; Upper $5.00.
Orchestra Chairs and Parquette, $1.00.
Dress Circle, 75 cents.
Gallery, 50 "
Pit, 50 "

☞ Tickets for sale at Mr. Harrison's Music Store, where plan of Hall can be seen.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert will commence at 8.

March 1st, 1877.

PRIVATE MONEY TO LEND

IN Sums and on Terms as to repayment as applicant may wish.

Apply to

J. H. SIMPSON,
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DAILY EXPECTED TO ARRIVE.

ONE CAR LOAD

HEAVY NEW MESS

PORK.

—AT—

W. R. McRAE & CO.'S.

Received THIS DAY.

100 Bbls.

CHOICE FAMILY

FLOUR,

—AT—

W. R. M'RAE & CO'S

EXCELLENT

GLASS GOBLETS

—AT—

80c, 85c, 90c, $1.00, $1.25, 1.50

Per Dozen.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Feb. 21st, 1877.

ALL KINDS OF FRAMES

MADE TO ORDER,

By an Experienced Workman,

AT WALLACE'S

Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.

WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.

D. J. WALLACE.

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST, Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse, With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS.

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction

☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,

Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

LAKESIDE LIBRARY AT REYNOLDS'.

FRESH SUPPLY of the following popular editions of the above Cheap Library:

Joshua Haggard's Daughter, by Miss Braddon.
Going to the Bad, by Edmund Yates.
The Log of the Ferruna, by Capt. A. P. Lindley
For the King, by Chas. Gibbon.
Haireu, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, "
Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
The Secret of the Island, "
Tour of the World in 80 Days, "
Abandoned, "

BELFORD'S NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Kate Danton. The Family Doom.
Madcap Violet. Ten Years of My Life, &c
Belford's Magazine for March.

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 1, 1877.

NEW SPRING HATS.

MUIR & LAWRANCE,

285 ROBERTSON'S BLOCK,

BELLEVILLE.

GEORGE E. SMALL

PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,

BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 3, '77. tf

THE FIRST.

RECEIVED TO-DAY

ONE CASE OF

Ladies' Black & Brown Straws

IN THE

NEWEST STYLES

AND AT ALL PRICES.

—ALSO—

ANOTHER LOT of those CHEAP

2 Button FRENCH KIDS

WORTH $1,00,

ONLY 65c

AT COSTELLO'S

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS,
INFANTS' ROBES,
CLOAKS, APRONS,
&c., &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson.

Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hall

GOOD GOODS

CHEAP.

—O—

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

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CLEARING SALE.

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MAKING READY

FOR

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N. H. Peterson,

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BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb 7th, 1877.

TENDERS

FOR SUPPLYING

75 Cords of Beech and Maple

BODY WOOD,

At the Junction of the Belleville and North Hastings Railway with the Grand Junction, will be received up to

SATURDY, 10TH MARCH.

For further information apply at this office, or

C. B. DALY,
Chief Engineer, Madoc.

B. & N. H. R'y Offices,
Belleville, Feb'y 26th, 1877. td

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Panel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership her efore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
Express, ... 6.10 p m
Mixed ... 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

Express, ... 12.05 p m
Express, ... 12.22 a m
Mixed, ... 9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at ... 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at ... 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at ... 2 p m
" Trenton at ... 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 5.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

ARRIVAL.—The *S.S. Austrian* from Liverpool arrived at Halifax at noon on Saturday.

THE RINK.—The Skating Rink will be opened this evening at 7:30. The ice is now in good condition.

TOWN COUNCIL.—A regular meeting of this body takes place this evening at eight o'clock, in the Council Chamber.

THE JAIL.—They are at present confined in the County Jail here, 19 prisoners 13 of whom are males and 6 females.

THE LARGEST YET.—There are 229 pupils at the Institute for the Deaf and Dumb, the largest number which has yet been in attendance.

COUNTY COUNCIL.—The March session of the County Council opens to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock. The members of the Gravel Roads Committee arrived today.

NEW STORE.—Hoby & Son have commenced business in the Turnbull Block. They have on hand a large and well assorted stock of groceries, tobaccos &c. and solicit a share of public patronage.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

NEW HOSE.—The Committee on Fire Water and Gas has decided to recommend the purchase of 2,000 feet of carbolized hose from a New York Company. The proposition will be submitted in the Council to-night.

THAT FORGERY.—Graffiey who absconded from Kingston on Wednesday last, left three specimens of his handwriting on paper there. The amount of money realized on the notes will not exceed $500.

THE K. & P. RAILROAD.—Trains will resume running on this road as soon as the snow disappears from the track. Work on the extension of the line beyond Sharbot Lake, has been continued all winter.

PRODUCE AND COMMISSION.—As will be seen by referring to our advertising columns, Mr. George E. Small has opened an office in Bogart's Block Front Street, as a Produce and Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent &c., &c.,

CONCERT IN PICTON.—At a concert, for the benefit of the poor of Picton, given in that town, recently, the Belleville Glee Club and Mr. R. Wallbridge contributed to the programme. The "New Nation" speaks in very flattering terms of their efforts.

ANOTHER.—Mr. H. Cunningham, the well-known yacht builder of Kingston, has issued a challenge, which has been accepted, for a race between the new cat boat he has built for a gentleman in Montreal and the Zitella, to come off on the 20th of April. The new boat is only five tons burden.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colounade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—All our exchanges published in this section speak in flattering terms of the new opera house and the push and enterprise of its manager. The opening concert will be given on Friday evening next.

THE POLICE STATION.—The police were very successful on Saturday in bringing offenders to the toils. On that evening five drunks were locked up. The offences of two were regarded as so light that they were let off yesterday. An additional drunk was placed on the list last night, making four in all who appeared before the Magistrate to-day.

THAT BELL.—The bell in the tower of the Town Hall ceased to strike the hour yesterday morning at ten o'clock, and did not ring again until eleven this morning. This was probably owing to the snow which has accumulated in its vicinity. Had the bell to be rung for a fire alarm, a very serious difficulty might have presented itself.

BLIND TOM.—A very large audience assembled in the Metropolitan Hall on Saturday evening to witness Blind Tom's entertainment. He executed a number of difficult selections in a highly meritorious manner and showed himself possessed of marvellous musical ability. All present enjoyed the entertainment immensely.

THAT STEAMBOAT LINE.—The rumored amalgamation of the boat owners of this section by which it was proposed to form a company composed of the proprietors of the principal steamers which ply on the bay, is not likely to be consummated. A prominent stockholder in the B. of Q. & O. N. Co. is strongly opposed to the scheme and last week bought a major part of the stock of the company.

BROKE THROUGH.—A team of horses owned and driven by Isaac Moore, of Rednersville, on Saturday last broke through the ice when opposite Gillum's Point. The sleigh was loaded with furniture, which was also precipitated into the water. Moore crying for help soon attracted the attention of John Muckham and a man named Conn, who at once went to his assistance. The horses and sleigh were got out after being about a half hour in the water, but not before Mr. Moore had also received a cold bath.

AMERICAN AGRICULTURALIST.—The March number of this king of agricultural publications is to hand. Praise of its contents is superfluous, as it is widely known and appreciated. Published by Orange Judd & Co., 245 Broadway, New York. Terms, $1.50 per annum; single copies, 15 cents.

"OUR HOME COMPANION AND CANADIAN TEACHER."—The February number of this useful and entertaining publication has been received. We find much that should recommend it to teachers and the public generally. Published by the Companion Publishing Co., 527 Richmond St., London, Ont.

THE CASH SYSTEM.—We call attention to the advertisement of the firm of Haines & Lockett which appears elsewhere. They have decided to adopt a strictly cash system in the transaction of their business hereafter, and will, we doubt not, realize all the advantages anticipated. This firm is noted for the extent and reliability of business done in the boot and shoe trade, and this "new departure" will only increase their reputation among customers.

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday last one of the employes in Rathbun's cedar mill at Mill Point met with a very severe and painful accident. He was engaged in shovelling saw dust from a slide under a circular saw which was in motion and in drawing back his arms preparatory to filling the scoop his hand was cut across, completely severing it and cutting the handle of the scoop. The amputated member was carried by the saw to the upper floor and thrown a distance of about 15 feet, into a shingle box where it was afterwards found. Medical assistance was at once procured and every effort made to stop the flow of blood with partial success. When our informant left the village it was feared that the arm would have to be cut again above the wrist. The man acted with the greatest courage during the process of binding up the wound. He has a wife and family of seven children and was in poor circumstances. He had been out of employment during the winter and had only been at work for a short time. A collection was made among the hands engaged in the mill and the villagers and nearly $100 was realized.

THE PRESIDENCY.

The final declaration of the electoral votes of the several States, as given last Friday morning in Washington stood as follows;—

HAYES.		TILDEN.	
Illinois	21	New York	35
Ohio	22	Alabama	10
Pennsylvania	29	New Jersey	9
Iowa	11	North Carolina	10
Minnesota	5	Connecticut	6
Maine	7	Georgia	11
New Hampshire	5	Indiana	15
Vermont	5	Virginia	11
Massachusetts	13	West Virginia	5
Rhode Island	4	Mississippi	8
Nebraska	3	Maryland	8
California	6	Kentucky	12
Michigan	11	Texas	8
Colorado	3	Missouri	15
Oregon	3	Arkansas	6
Nevada	3	Delaware	3
Kansas	5	Tennessee	12
Wisconsin	10		
Louisiana	8		
South Carolina	7		
Florida	4		
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The President-elect was born in the State of Ohio in the year 1822. He was educated at Kenyon College. He studied law and practiced his profession in Cincinnati. He rose rapidly in his profession, taking a leading place as a criminal lawyer. When the late war broke out he was partly instrumental in raising a regiment, of which he became Major. As a reward of the valour displayed by him he was raised in course of time to the rank of Brigadier-General. After the war he was returned to the House of Representatives from Ohio. In 1867 he was the Republican nominee for the Governorship of that State, and was elected, a position which he has just resigned to accept the highest office in the gift of his countrymen. In religion, we understand, Mr. Hayes is a Methodist.

The Vice-President-elect, Mr. Wheeler, is a man of high personal standing, and, like Mr. Hayes, belongs to the legal profession. He is a resident of New York State, and has for several terms been a member of the House of Representatives. His name is prominently connected with the settlement of the Louisiana difficulty of a few years ago.

LOST HIS WIFE.

A ST. THOMAS MAN IN A DILEMMA.

Shortly after eleven o'clock last night an elderly man named Evans, who said he came from St. Thomas, reported at the Central Police Station that his wife had run away from him yesterday afternoon with a young man, till lately an employee on the Canada Southern Railway, and that he believed they had come to London and taken up their lodgings on Dundas street with a butcher lately from the town of Saints. The story told by Evans was of a very affecting character. He said he had been married since 1864, and had always lived on the best of terms with his wife, and she with him. He is lessee of a skating rink in St. Thomas, and late in the evening, whilst attending to his business, some one came and told him that his wife had gone off to London with the young man already referred to. At first Evans did not credit the statement; but on being assured such was the fact, went home to confirm the suspicions thus aroused. It was too true! His wife had not only left the house she had dwelt in for so long a period, but she and her paramour had carried off all the money in the house ($20), having broken into a box in which it was locked up. They had also taken a silver watch belonging to him. Ascertaining for certain that the runaways had come to London by the 4 p.m. train, Evans hastened to the station, and had just time to jump on board the train which arrives in this city at 11 p.m. Here he ascertained from a cabman, who knew his wife, that the couple had taken up their abode for the night in the house referred to, and his object in coming to the Central Station was to get a warrant for their arrest. It may be stated that the young man is much the junior of the woman. Evans seemed willing to forgive the erring one if she would discard her new acquaintance and return home. It being too late to get a warrant, no proceedings were taken till this morning.—*London Free Press.*

—It is claimed that if you cut off the spray of a lilac bush, and put it into hot water so as to force it, there will be a perfect bloom. This is probably another fib! Don't spoil your bushes.

THE PRESIDENCY.

HAYES' INAUGURAL.

[Associated Press despatch.]

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The following is Hayes' Inaugural:—

"FELLOW CITIZENS,—We have assembled to repeat the public ceremonial begun by Washington, observed by all my predecessors, and now a time-honored custom, which marks the commencement of a new term of the Presidential office. Called to the duties of this great trust, I proceed in compliance with usage to pronounce some of the leading principles on subjects that now chiefly engage public attention by which it is my desire to be guided in the discharge of those duties. I shall not undertake to lay down irrevocably principles or measures of administration, but rather to speak of motives which should animate us, and to suggest certain important ends to be attained in accordance with our institutions, and essential to the welfare of our country. At the outset of the discussion which preceded the recent Presidential election it seemed to me fitting that I should fully make known my sentiments in regard to several important questions which then appeared to demand the consideration of the country. Following the example, and in part adopting the language of one of my predecessors, I wish now, when every motive for misrepresentation has passed away, to repeat what was said before the election, trusting that my countrymen will candidly weigh and understand it, and that they will feel assured that the sentiments declared in accepting the nomination for the Presidency will be the standard of my conduct in the path before me, charged as I now am with the grave and difficult task of carrying them out in a practical administration of the Government, so far as it depends, under the Constitution and laws, on the Chief Executive of the Nation. The permanent pacification of the country, upon such principles and by such measures as will secure the complete protection of all its citizens in the free enjoyment of all their constitutional rights, is now the one subject in our public affairs which all thoughtful and patriotic citizens regard as of supreme importance. Many of the calamitous effects of the tremendous revolution which has passed over the Southern States still remain. The innumerable benefits which will surely follow, sooner or later the hearty and generous acceptance of legitimate results of that revolution, have not yet been realized. Difficult and embarrassing questions meet us at the threshold of this subject. People of those States are still impoverished, and the inestimable blessing of wise, honest and peaceful local self-government is not fully enjoyed. Whatever differences of opinion may exist as to the cause of this condition of things, the fact is clear that in the progress of events the time has come when such government is the imperative necessity required by all the varied interests, public and private, of these States. But it must not be forgotten that only a local government which recognizes and maintains inviolate the rights of all, is a true selfgovernment. With respect to the two distinct races, whose peculiar relations to each other have brought upon us the deplorable complications and perplexities which exist in those States, it must be a government which guards the interests of both races carefully, which submits loyally and heartily to the Constitution and laws of the nation of the U. S., themselves obeying faithfully the whole constitution as it is. Resting upon this sure and substantial foundation, the superstructure of beneficent local government can be built up, and not otherwise. In furtherance of such obedience to the letter and spirit of the Constitution, and in behalf of all that its attainment implies, all so-called party interests lose their apparent importance, and party lines may well be permitted to fade into insignificance. The question we have to consider for the immediate welfare of those States is a question of Government or no Government; of social order and all the peaceful industries, and the happiness that belong to it, or a return to barbarism. It is a question in which every citizen of the nation is deeply interested, and with respect to which we ought not to be in a partisan sense, either Republicans or Democrats, but fellow citizens and fellowmen, to whom the interests of a common country and a common humanity are dear. The sweeping revolution of the entire labor system of a large portion of our country, and the advance of four millions of people from a condition of servitude to that of citizenship upon an equal footing with their former masters, could not occur without presenting problems of the gravest moment to be dealt with by the emancipated race, by their former masters and by the General Government."

This and That.

—Revivals are in progress in many portions of Western Ontario.

—The Maple Leaf Baseball Club of Stratford has organized for the coming season.

—Fifty-two men were engaged this week in sawing wood for the Northern Railway.

—Three unlicensed tavern-keepers, of North Oxford, were fined $20 and costs lately.

—The number of wrecks reported during the week, ending February 10th, is 54, making for the present year 349.

—Mrs. Fitzpatrick, of Guelph, fell head foremost into a cattle guard yesterday, and is in a very low condition.

—Mr. Gilmour, the missing lumber merchant, is said to have been seen at Prescott on Tuesday last.

—The North Shore Railway is completed between Batiscan and the St. Maurice Rivers, and a locomotives are daily employed in conveying contractors' materials along the line.

—A Western Ontario paper says a family of woodcock have passed the winter near Port Stanley in a warm ravine which is overgrown with shrubbery, and which never freezes. The woodcock is a migratory bird, and the fact of its remaining with us during the winter instead of winging its way to southern climes has hitherto been unheard of around here.

—A country editor asks: "What can a woman do, anyhow?" We'll bet he's never been married, or he'd know what a woman can do. Why, we've seen one weak female cook a meal, set the table, mash the cat with the poker, blow up her husband spank the children all round, and sing part of a hymn, and all inside of an hour. And she didn't appear as if she were half employed.

THE COLD DOWN SOUTH.—Dr. James Joyce, formerly postmaster at Greensville, who removed to north Carolina some years ago, writes to us as follows: We seem to have drifted north this winter season. We have had a taste of cold weather, like the Canada winter. From the last of November to near New Year we had a steady hard frost; the glass stood from 20 down to 3 above zero; ten inches of ice on the ponds, and over a foot of snow which continued on the ground long enough for a good sleigh-ride, but we had no sleighs to use. The young men had a treat with their skates, and the natives told me they never felt the like in their lives, and were not prepared for such weather.—*Dundas Banner.*

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 5.

Greenbacks buying at	93½ to 94
" selling at	95
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	83½

Gold opened at 104⅛; closed at 104⅛.

Two or three colds in succession will, with many constitutions, securely establish he seeds of consumption in the system, thus converting what was originally a simple curable affection, into one generally fatal. Ordinary prudence, therefore, makes it the business of every one to take care of a cold until it is got rid of. Fortunately "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" are thoroughly adapted to remove speedily all coughs and colds, and are equally effective in the primary stages of consumption, asthma, and bronchitis. Sold by all druggists and country dealers; price 25 cents per box.

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The hair is not only one of the accessories of human beauty, but is designed to protect the health; as a bad conducter of heart it serves to equalize the temperature of the brain. The nerve contained in the hair tube is frequently paralyzed and the coloring destroyed; but by proper remedies the gray hair can be restored to its original color, and where it has fallen off a new growth can be produced by the use of Halls' Vegetable Sicilian Renewer. The reproducing power of this invaluable compound is beyond a doubt. By its use the absorbents become active and nourish the bulb which supports the roots of the hair.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health."

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

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MR. RYMAL ON TORY APPOINTMENTS.

On Thursday night last Mr. Joseph Rymal M. P. for South Wentworth, took a part in the debate, or, rather, field day fight, which occurred over the motion of Mr Campbell, of Victoria, N. S., for certain papers with regard to the dismissal of three persons in his constituency who were unfitted for the positions they held in the Civil Service. It would be remembered that for years Dr. Tupper had no following from his native Province. At last Col. Campbell, who has made himself excessively ridiculous, joined him, and no longer is it in order to say that the whole Opposition from Nova Scotia walks under Dr. Tupper's hat. When Mr. Rymal rose, he was received with stentorian cheers from all parts of the House, for though he is a hard-hitter, he is a great favorite and his standing up to speak is always greeted as a signal that there is something enjoyable about to be said. It is to be regretted that he does not speak oftener.

Mr. Rymal said: "I think the debate, which relates to the production of certain papers—a matter of very small importance—has taken a very wide range. (Hear.) Much of it has arisen from the relations which exist between the hon. member for Cumberland (Dr. Tupper) and his latest follower (Col. Campbell) whom the hon. gentleman wishes to exhibit upon every possible occasion. The hon. gentleman seems to take especial pride in these exhibitions in the same manner as would an old mother hen (laughter) which, after having undergone, for a long time, the process of hatching, was rewarded with a single chicken (loud laughter) which she exhibits in the barnyard in such a manner as if to say, "No other hen in this yard has such a chicken as I have got!" (Roars of laughter, in which Sir John and Dr. Tupper heartily joined, though Mr. Campbell, whose hearing is very defective, and who could scarcely catch the drift of the remarks which caused the laughter, looked cross as a bear with a sore head.) I fear that honorable gentleman's disappointment will be as great as that of the mother hen, who, after a few weeks, discovered that her chicken was a young goose. (Shouts of laughter.) There is an old fable, which I read when a boy. It was about a mother wolf, that after great and maternal longings, was rewarded with the birth of a single whelp, which she handled very fondly. Her fondness for it was almost unspeakable (laughter), but in her fierce affection, as the fable said, she hugged the whelp to death. Now, I trust that the moral of this fable—the fate that befel the whelp—will never be the fate of my honorable friend from Victoria (laughter), whose pluck and determination I admire, though compelled to differ with him in principles. The hon. gentleman is bound to have his say and I am glad to see men of that stamp in the House. I am not afraid to denounce a good old Tory (laughter), for I have some respect for men of that class who have been born and brought up in the Faith, but with men who change their political names and their principles so often that they do not remain the same for more than twelve hours together, I am utterly disgusted. (Great laughter.) I believe the papers for which the hon. member for Victoria asks will be granted, and I hope that so small a matter will not again be made the occasion for such a violent attack. If my hon. friends opposite—as they have a right to do—choose to attack the Government, they should not attempt in this way to steal a march on them. (Hear, hear.) When we were in Opposition we gave the late Administration due notice of such assaults; but whether they desire to steal a march or not, I warn my friends that they may look out for squalls (laughter.) The Opposition mean business, and whether my friends desire it or not or whether they are able to defend their actions or not, they will find that they must be called to account. The time has also come around when a record is to be made, by my hon. friends opposite who are shrewd enough to know that the time is at hand when this record must be piled up. These tactics will be continued, I fancy, and if the Government or its friends have been guilty of any great derilection of duty, or of the commission of any great political crimes, I know that my hon. friend from Kingston, with whom I have been acquainted for so many years, will ferret them all out and drag them to light. I trust that the Government will be able to dispose of all charges that may be brought against them. I firmly belive that this will be the case, and I hope that we may have a little of the old fire that used to animate politicians in old Canada displayed (laughter), because I have a great admiration for that sort of thing. (Laughter) I do not believe in a namby pamby way of handling these things. (Roars of laughter and cheers.) I like to see men really in earnest when conducting debates—let them lay off their gloves when they come into the fray and act as valiantly and boldly in the House as they do at pic-nics (Cheers and laughter from Ministerial benches) More than a year ago I believe my hon. friend from Kingston (Sir J. A. Macdonald) rejoiced over the election of an hon. member for a riding in Toronto (Mr. J. B. Robinson) and expressed his gladness relative to the new accession to his ranks, as one necessary to render assistance when he (Sir John) met the "beasts at Ephesus." (Laughter.) A considerable time, however, has elapsed, but the battle with the beasts has not, as yet, come off (cheers), but I trust we shall soon see the fight in progress. (Laughter and cheers.)"

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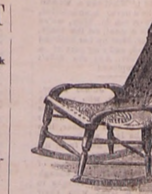

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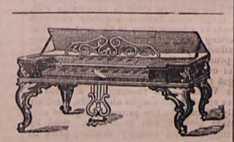

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Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$184,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,133 00
Other Assets,	49,838 00
Total Assets	$208,784 00

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(Signed) GEO J PYKE, General Manager.

Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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IT WILL SAVE FUEL.

Warms the building quickly and at a moderate expense,

It Costs Less than Coal,

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UNDERCLOTHING,

Cheap, at

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Feb 12, 1876 4mos

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Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

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July 14, 1874.

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FRESH OYSTERS!

ROSS & DAVIES

Have received and offer for sale

FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
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WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

THE CELEBRATED

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OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

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Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,

Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,

BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Feb. 2nd, 1877.

NOTICE.

AS we have sold out our business to W. Minore, Esq., who will conduct the business in the old stand, we require that all the accounts due us must be paid within one week to Mr. Minore or they will be left in court for collection.

J. GIBBARD & SON.

Great Clearing Sale!

—OF—

BOOTS AND SHOES,

AT THE KINGSTON

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BOOT AND SHOE STORE

In order to clear out our spring and summer stock and make room for our Fall Goods, we will sell at

WHOLESALE PRICES!

For two months, commencing on Saturday July 22nd, this is a good chance to buy

Cheap Boots and Shoes.

Remember the Place

No. 367 FRONT STREET.

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville. July 20th, 1876.

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Music—Theory and Practice.

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CLASS ROOM—One Door West of the Post Office, Upper Floor.

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500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,

TO BE SOLD AT COST

Within the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

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Jan. 4, 1876. 6m

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Parties purchasing tickets by the G Trunk save the trouble and annoyance of changing cars or re-checking baggage in Toronto.

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Tickets can be purchased of

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April 8th, 1876.

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Interest allowed on deposits subject to withdrawal without notice, at four and five per cent.

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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.

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3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.

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I. J. LOCKWOOD.

Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

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NEW SPRING GOODS.

FIRST SHIPMENT

JUST RECEIVED A

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TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

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TO RENT

THE House and Premises of the late S. M. Benson, on Hotel Street. These premises are conveniently situated, near the business part of the town, and are well adapted for a Boarding House or private family.

Apply to D. B. ROBERTSON, Solicitor, Belleville, or J. BENSON, Esq., Napanee.

Belleville, Jan. 9, 1875, oawtf

BILLS ASSENTED TO.

The following Bills were assented to by His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor, at the prorogation of the Ontario Legislature on Friday:—

Act to incorporate The William Hall Peterborough Protestant Poor Trust

Act to amend the Water Works Acts of the city of Ottawa.

Act respecting by-law No. 240 of the town of Windsor.

Act to authorize the town of Dundas to pass a by-law exempting the Canada Screw Company from taxes.

Act to extend and define the limits of the town of Orillia.

Act respecting the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce Railway Company.

Act respecting St Paul's church Toronto.

Act to amend the Acts relating to the Whitby and Port Perry Extension Railway Company.

Act respecting St John's church, Iroquois.

Act to authorize the Synod of the Diocese of Huron to sell certain lands in the township of Warwick.

Act to amend the Act incorporating the the Upper Canada Bible Society.

Act to alter and amend the survey of the lands of the Canada Company in the townships of Bosanquet and McGillivary.

Act respecting the Stratford and Huron Railway.

Act representing St. Paul's church in the village of Almonte.

Act respecting the village of Port Elgin.

Act respecting the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Hamilton.

Act respecting the North Simcoe Railway Company.

Act relating to St. Mark's church Niagara.

Act to legalize a survey of the township of Matilda.

Act respecting the Port Dover and Lake Huron Railway Company.

Act to incorporate the Metropolitan Street Railway Company of Toronto.

Act to incorporate Alma College at St. Thomas.

Act to incorporate the Standard Fire Insurance Company.

Act for the incorporation of the town of Belleville as a city, and for the consolidation of the debt thereof.

Act to incorporate the Ontario Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Canada.

Act for the incorporation of the Conference of the Christian Church in Canada.

Act respecting the church of St. Alban the Martyr, in Ottawa.

Act to amend the Act of incorporation of the Canadian Literary Institute of Woodstock.

Act respecting the municipality of Shuniah.

Act to incorporate the People's Gas Company.

Act to incorporate Trinity Medical College.

Act to incorporate the Leamington, Comber and Lake St. Clair Railway Company.

Act respecting the Credit Valley Railway Company.

Act to incorporate the Niagara and St. Catharines Railroad and Steamboat Company.

Act to incorporate the city of Brantford.

Act to enable the Synod of Niagara to sell certain lands in Arthur.

Act to legalize a by-law of the County of Simcoe.

Act relating to the Hamilton and North Western Railway Company.

Act respecting St. Paul's church at Newmarket.

Act to incorporate the Guelph Street Railway Company.

Act respecting the Toronto Street Railway Company.

Act for the admission of William E. Iddardi as a Provincial Land Surveyor.

Act respecting the Cobourg, Peterboro', and Marmora Railway and Mining Company.

Act respecting the city of Toronto, the Toronto Water Works and other matters.

Act to enable the Corporation of Cobourg to aid certain manufacturing establishments.

Act respecting the St. Catharines Street Railway Company.

Act respecting the Bothwell (C.W.) Land and Petroleum Company.

Act to consolidate the debt of the Port Hope harbor.

Act respecting the Huron and Quebec Railway Company.

Act respecting the Presbyterian church at Orillia.

Act to legalize a certain by-law and certain debentures of the city of Toronto.

Act respecting the Pickering Harbor and Road Joint Stock Company.

Act to amend the law respecting escheats and forfeitures.

Act to amend and repeal certain enactments of the last session of the Legislature of this Province.

Act respecting the Revised Statutes of Ontario.

Act respecting references to the Supreme Court of Canada, and the Exchequer Court of Canada, in certain cases.

Act respecting the municipality of Sault. Ste. Marie.

Act to amend the Act respecting dentistry.

Act to incorporate the Industrial Exhibition Company.

Act to extend the Voters' Lists to Municipal Elections.

Act respecting the temporary Judicial and Territorial Districts of the Province, and the Provisional County of Haliburton.

Act for the encouragement of Agriculture, Horticulture, Arts, and Manufactures.

Act respecting payment to unorganized Townships or parts of Districts under the Municipal Loan Fund scheme.

Act to amend the Acts respecting the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors.

Act respecting the Peel General Manufacturing Company.

Act to empower the Council of the Municipality of the Township of Adelaide to sell certain lands.

Act to amend the several Acts respecting the Education Department, Public and High Schools, and the University of Toronto.

Act to amend the Assessment Act of 1869.

Act to amend the Act respecting line fences.

Act respecting mortgages and sales of personal property.

Act respecting the Free Grants and Homestead Act of 1868

Act respecting the County Court, General Sessions of the Peace, and Surrogate Court of the County of York.

Act to give the right of voting to farmers' sons, in certain cases.

Act respecting constables.

Act respecting the administration of es-

tates of intestates dying without known relatives in Ontario.

Act to provide for certain amendments and additions to the Statutes of the Province as consolidated by the Commissioners appointed for that purpose.

Act to provide for certain amendments to the law.

Act to provide for the erection of a court house in the City of Hamilton.

Act to apply the municipal law to certain townships in the District of Nipissing

Act to amend the Acts relating to the election of members of the Legislative Assembly.

Act respecting aid to certain railways, and the creation of a railway land subsidy fund.

Act to make verbal corrections in certain Acts of the present session.

Act to further amend the Assessment Acts.

Act to repeal chapter 2, 38th Vic., respecting the readjustment of the representation in the Legislative Assembly.

Act to amend the Acts respecting building societies.

Act respecting municipal institutions.

Act respecting the drainage of certain lands by municipalities; and to amend an Act respecting municipal institutions in the Province of Ontario.

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 6.

AN appointment to the vacant postmastership of Port Hope will be made this week. The investigation has closed.

THE Conservatives of East Durham were greatly sold over the rumor that Mr. Lewis Ross, the popular member in the Commons, would be made Postmaster of Port Hope. They had actually brought out a candidate for the vacancy.

THE debate on Sir John's amendment will be resumed to-day. A lively time is anticipated. Dr. Tupper is waiting for the Finance Minister, and *vice versa*. When these two authorities have spoken the debate will close. A division is not expected till Friday night.

IT is privately intimated in Ottawa that both the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie and Senator Brown have declined the honor of knighthood tendered them by Her Majesty. They did so most respectfully, and gave as their chief reason that such honors had always been regarded by them as unsuited to the country.

THE *Mail* would hold the Government responsible for those Icelandic immigrants who were drowned on Lake Winnipeg while *en route* to their new homes. The victims of small-pox are also to be accounted for by the Department of Agriculture, or the Opposition will know the reason why.

MR. BLAKE'S bill for the improvement of prison discipline gives magistrates power to increase by one-sixth the sentence lawful under the ordinary statutes, when the prisoner is being sent to the Central Prison. Thus the former outside term of two years may be increased to two years and four months. The bill also provides that every prisoner in the Central Prison, it exemplary in conduct, shall be entitled to a remission of his sentence not exceeding five days for each month.

IMMIGRATION.

The report of the Minister of Agriculture, which has been received, contains information of an interesting nature. It also conveys the best possible evidence that the "hard times" have been felt in this branch of the public service quite as severly as in others. It is only reasonable that the Government of a country comparatively young and with many thousands of acres of fertile, unoccupied land, should make it a prominent object to entice desirable immigration. This has been duly recognized by the present and preceding Administrations, and so long as good use is made of the money voted no particular objections are urged by political opponents. We have taken the ground that hitherto agents have, in their eagerness to appear useful, not discriminated sufficiently between the different classes of persons offering themselves as emigrants. There are always individuals who are useless in any capacity, and under all circumstances of life. They are easily influenced, and ready to enter into any scheme promising an adventure. We have had too many of such characters brought to our shore, and the more judicious selections lately made will result in much direct benfit to the country. This, too, is one particular reason why the figures given in the returns show a considerable falling off, as compared with former seasons. We find that the number of immigrants reported as having settled in Canada during 1876 was 25,633. Of these, 10,901 came by the St. Lawrence route. This would leave 14,732 as having entered Canada from the United States. There were 1,357 Mennonites and 1,156 Icelanders. The following will show the expenditures from Dominion sources since 1873, including quarantine charges:—

1873	$234,000
1874	251,120
1875	296,692
1876	284,065

The returns of immigrants landing at Quebec are as follows:—

1873	36,901
1874	23,894
1875	16,038
1776	10,901

We have heard a good deal about the "exodus" of the Canadian youth and beauty to the United States. No doubt a large number of our young men, and perhaps young women, too, have been enticed to cross the border and take up their residence under the "Starry Banner." Such a migration, however, is natural, and is governed by no law, or subject to no particular cause. During the past two years by far the greater number has come from the United States and swelled the population of our own country. The above figures show that 14,732 immigrants entered Canada from the neighboring Republic during 1876, and it is reasonable to suppose that the majority of these have become permanent residents.

Editorial Notes.

TORONTO Bay is clear of ice and navigation may be considered fairly open.

THE nomination in Charlevoix takes place on the 16th and the election on the 23rd inst.

THE Quebec press almost wholly ignore the judgment in the Charlevoix election case. Both parties keep mum.

IT is now stated that the Fishery Commission, under the Washington Treaty, will meet at Halifax in May.

BRITISH COLUMBIA will not secede. The policy of delay recommended by Lord Carnarvon has been accepted.

HORSES are being shipped from Montreal to Winnipeg, and considerable trade in this line is anticipated.

THE members of the Toronto School of Medicine have organized a company in the Queen's Own Rifles.

COMPLAINTS are made of the irregularity of letters from Manitoba to Ontario. Some never arrive, and others turn up long after date.

THE Sherbrooke Meat Company will immediately rebuild their factory and resume operations on a more extended scale in about ten weeks.

Four sail and one steam yacht are being built at Oswego, and a good fleet will be ready for the coming season. Oswego will challenge our local "flyers."

THE members of the Fishery Commission, which meets next May at Halifax, will be Sir A. T. Galt, for Canada; Senator Kellogg, for the U. S.; and the Belgian Commissioner at Washington as third party.

TOWN COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber last evening at eight o'clock.

PRESENT.—His Worship the Mayor, Messrs. Patterson, Lingham, Pope, Brennan, Price, Yeomans, Pringle, S. Hambly, Holden, Meagher and J. Hambly.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS &c.

The following were presented and read:

From J. Brown and others of Murney Ward asking for sidewalk additions on Catharine Street.

From James McGuire, asking to be recouped for expenses incurred by him in boarding some employees of Mr. Robertson who built the foot bridge.

From Hugh McKinnon, Chief of Police, notifying the Council that a team belonging to Jeremiah West had runaway and knocked down a lamp post, which has been replaced.

From E. B. Brush, calling the attention of the Council to the merits of the Excelsior Gas Saving Machine.

From O. G. Gilbart, asking the privelege of furnishing a fire alarm system for the town; the price asked is $2,000.

From John Taylor & Bro., tendering for 2,000 feet of hose at $1 05 per foot.

From the Canadian Rubber Company tendering for like amount of hose at $1.00 per foot.

From Henry Bleecker, laying before the Council a claim of John Rowe's for injury to a horse, caused by drawing hose to a fire. The claim amounted to $70.25, the drawing of the hose not included.

A letter from Mr. George Neilson, claiming $225 as salary, and one from Johnathan Spry claiming $125 for damages to his house by the charivari party, were read also.

The above were referred to their appropriate committees.

The arbitrators in re the extension of William Street through P. M. Nulty's property reported recommending the amount to be given be $1,100.

REPORTS.

Mr. Pope from the Market and Police Committee reported verbally that certain rules and regulations for the guidance of the force be included in a by-law to be introduced. With regard to the petition of the firm who wished to carry on a sausage business in Dr. Lister's building he said the Committee had no jurisdiction in the premises.

Mr. Brennan from the Harbor deputation reported verbally that in all probability a grant would be obtained from the Government.

The Fire, Water and Gas Committee reported recommending the purchase of 2,000 feet of hose from the Gutta Percha Rubber Company of New York at $1 25 per foot.

The Finance Committee recommended the payment of a number of accounts.

Mr. Beamish's request presented at the last meeting was not granted. Messrs. Rathbun's taxes were reduced one half and Messrs. Evans and Bolger were recommended to receive $300 on the proper completion of the map of the town.

NOTICE.

Mr. Pope gave notice of a by-law for the appointment of a poor master and an officer to carry out the several town by-laws.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The several reports were received.

Council went into Committee on Ways and Means—Mr. Patterson in the Chair.

The Finance Committee's report was passed.

On the reading of the Fire Committee's report Mr. Yeomans stated that an agent of the Montreal Rubber Company would sell his hose at $1.00 per foot and on the remaining terms equally as well as the N. Y. firm. He hadn't witnessed the hose test but if the Montreal hose was as good as the other we should get it. He moved the reconsideration of the clause ordering the purchase of hose.

Mr. S. Hambly said that the agent of the Montreal Company had been before the Committee, and the Agent of the N. Y. Company was subsequently called on. The terms of each were were the same, and the Committee on consideration deemed it best to accept the offer of the N. Y. Co. The Montreal Co. did not have the best hose, and besides they had broken faith with the town on a former occasion; again, the hose purchased from them did not come up to expectations. The Committee had decided to purchase the New York hose.

Mr. Brennan considered that as the Committee had decided to accept the N. Y. hose, we should act on their suggestion.

Mr. Yeomans' motion did not receive a seconder, and the original report was passed.

Mr. Hambly moved, seconded by Mr. Price, that the tender of Mr. Hale for drawing the hook and ladder wagon to fires be accepted, the rate to be $2 50 per trip.—Carried.

A petition presented on Oct. 4th by Thos. Wilson was read. He asked a reduction of assessment on some property of his which was destroyed by fire a few days after being assessed.

Mr. Brennan moved, seconded by Mr. Yeomans, that Mr. Wilson's request be granted.

Mr. Holden said the Collector in cases like this had authority to pass over the collection of taxes, as he could recommend the remission of taxes in such instances.

At Mr. Holden's request the motion was allowed to stand over.

Mr. Yeomans moved, seconded by Mr. Brennan, that the petition of Patrick Gallery *et al* be granted.

The matter was allowed to stand, the Street Committee to take action on it.

Mr. Pope moved that the present quantity and condition of the hose owned by the town be given at the next meeting.

Mr. S. Hambly said there was from 700 to 800 feet of good reliable hose, and about 3 000 feet good, bad and indifferent. Some of the indifferent hose could be made serviceable.

Committee rose and reported.—Adopted.

Mr. Holden's by-law regarding the Board of Health was read a first time.

Mr. Pope's by-law amending the hack by-law was read a first time; also one relating to the police.

The rules were suspended to admit of the passage of these by-laws.

Council went into Committee on by-laws Mr. Meagher in the chair.

The Board of Health by-law was read a second time, Prof. Bell, J. P. McDonnell, Drs. Stewart, Tracy and Burdett were appointed, and the remuneration was fixed at $25 each.

Mr. Pope in reference to the police by-law said the proposed rules and regulations for the guidance of the force were appended to the by-law. The by-law was read a second time.

The by-law amending the hack by-law was read a second time. The amendment proposed prohibiting the soliciting of passengers at the docks or stations.

Mr. J. Hambly objected to the amendment, as he considered it a hardship to deprive persons of soliciting passengers.

Mr. Pope said the sooner a line was drawn governing the action of hack drivers the better we would be off. Unless something was done a policeman would be required at the station all the time. His by-law was the same as that now in force in Hamilton.

The by-law was passed.

The Council rose and reported.—Adopted.

The above by-laws were read a third time.

Mr. Pope asked to have copies of the hack by-law printed for distribution.

Mr. Holden said that the expenses of printing were now very large, and he hoped that Mr. Pope would bring the matter of printing before the Committee.

Mr. Patterson asked with reference to the division of the Wards.

The Mayor said he hoped to report at the next meeting on this subject.

Council adjourned.

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON.

A HORRIBLE TALE FROM THE WRECKED STEAMER.

HALIFAX, March 4.—The Captain of the steamer Newfoundland, from St. John's, N. F., which arrived here to-day, brought the life buoy of the steamer George Cromwell he picked up at Placentia Bay. Some flour, pork, and cabbages drifted ashore at the same place, but no further trace of the vessel or crew has been discovered.

The wreck of the Washington is covered with fifteen feet of water at Cape Race. Twenty-two bodies have been recovered and buried. It seems probable that on striking the rock the boilers must have exploded as the bodies or rather parts of bodies picked up are disfigured and mutilated and also denude of clothing. There was no appearance of hair on the heads; the brains were gone and the scalps much torn and hanging loose over the front of the face. Pieces of pork and hides of leather picked up on the shore are much burnt.

FROM MONTREAL.

Special to the ONTARIO.

MONTREAL, March 6.—Rev. Mr. Bray lectures this evening in Zion Church. A force of policemen will be in attendance to preserve order if necessary, a letter having been received by the pastor threatening to demolish the building.

The absconder McDuff (whose default in connection with Gilmour & Co, lumber merchants of this city), has been traced to New York, where he tried to obtain a passage to England. Failing in this, he is reported to have gone to Boston and returned again to New York. He gave indications of being of unsound mind, and mysteriously disappeared from one of the hotels. The police are on the look out for him.

—If you want to find out what's in a name, put it on the back of a note and see.

THIRD AND LAST

GRAND MASQUERADE

AND

FANCY DRESS

CARNIVAL

The Third and Last Grand Carnival will be held at the

Belleville Skating Rink

On Thursday Evening,

8TH INST.

A Brass Band will be in Attendance.

☞ Do not miss this last great attraction of the season.

IMPORTANT SALE!

BY AUCTION.

MILLS, LUMBER AND LIMITS.

UNDER powers of sale contained in certain mortgages made by ELI C. CLARKE, the younger, BENJAMIN F. BAKER, ELSIE B. PAGE, and WILLIAM JONES, to THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA, and the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, the undermentioned property will be offered for sale and sold,

AT THE COURT HOUSE

IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,

At the hour of Twelve O'Clock, noon, on

Monday the 12th day of March,

A. D. 1877, namely, the Mill known as the

"STAR" MILL,

situate on Baker's Island,

in the Bay of Quinte, together with the said Island, which is described thus:—A small island in the Bay of Quinte, in front of lot number (8) eight, in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, containing (13) thirteen acres, more or less.

Also the Mill known as the

"EAGLE" MILL,

situate in the County of Prince Edward, on the Bay of Quinte, and opposite the Town of Belleville, together with the lands connected therewith, and which are particularly described in one of said mortgages, and containing (25) twenty-five acres, more or less,

ALSO, THE

WHARVES, TOOLS, APPLIANCES AND MACHINERY

In and connected with the Mills respectively.

Also, the following Lumber situate at the said Mills:

About 11,500,000 feet of Lumber of al kinds, including Mill Run Stocks, Sidings, Strips, Culls, &c.

350,000 *Pieces 4 feet Pickets.*

1,250,000 *Pieces 4 feet Lath, and*

About 50 Logs in "Eagle" Mill Boom.

The above quantities are given, more or less

ALSO, IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF FARADAY,

Lot 32, in the 4th Concession.
" 33. " 4th "
" 28, " 8th "
" 29, " 8th "

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF MARMORA

Lot 31, in the 4th Concession.

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF LAKE,

The east half of Lot 13, in the 4th Concession and the east half of lot 12, in the 4th "

ALSO,

THE FOLLOWING LICENSES:

In the Township of Cardiff,	50½	Sq'e Miles
" "	Faraday,	35¾ "
" "	Methuen,	22¾ "
" "	Chandos,	21¼ "
" "	Lake,	11¼ "
" "	Marmora,	3¼ "
" "	Herschel,	¾ "

The Mills, Lumber, &c., can be inspected by those purchasers on application to ROBERT THOMPSON, Esq., Manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Belleville.

THE SALE WILL BE FOR CASH.

No bid will be accepted unless, if required by the Auctioneer or Solicitor of the Vendors, the bidder shall deposit with the auctioneer a cheque upon one of the chartered Banks doing business in Belleville, marked good, for the sum of $30,000, which shall be forfeited if the bidder fails to complete the purchase according to the conditions of sale.

The Vendors will only sell their interest in the property under said mortgages, and they will only produce any deeds or papers in their possession relating to the property, and shall not be required to do more.

Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to title, &c., at their own expense before the sale. They will also satisfy themselves as to quantity and quality of the chattel property before purchasing.

The further and full terms of sale will be made known at the sale.

Inventories may be inspected and information as to the property, &c., may be had by applying to said ROBERT THOMSON, Esquire, or to BELL & BELL, Barristers, Belleville.

There will be an upset price.

Dated this Eighth day of January, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
Vendors' Solicitor.

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POSTPONEMENT.

THE above sale is hereby postponed until SATURDAY the SEVENTEENTH INSTANT, at the same hour and place.

Dated this Sixth day of March, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
Vendor's Solicitor.

FOR SALE.

A NEW MILCH COW.
Apply at THIS OFFICE.
March 6, 1877. tf

Arrived

THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,

CHEAP

—AT—

W. R. M'RAE & CO'S

Wholesale Dealers.

BANKRUPT STOCK

FOR SALE.

THE Stock of F. M. CLARKE, Insolvent, will not be sold on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, as advertised, but sale will take place on

Tuesday the 13th day of March

At Half-Past Two, P.M.,

BY AUCTION, En Bloc,

but if no satisfactory offer is made en bloc, then immediately in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms Liberal and made known at time of sale.

The stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory,	$2625.82
Shop Fixtures	229.80
Book Debts, about	1300.00

M. B. ROBLIN,
Assignee.

Belleville, March 5th, 1877. td

HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

500 CHROMOS,

MOUNTED & FRAMED,

SIZE 18X24, AT 75 CTS

H. C. RAY,
Robertsen Block, Belleville.
March 5th, 1877. d&w

NEW GOODS.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO

Are now showing NEW Linen Goods, their own importing, bought by them this season for Cash, from the manufacturers in Dunfermline, Glasgow, Dundee and Belfast, consisting of

BLEACHED TABLE LINEN,
LOOM DICE do.
BUCKABUCK TOWELS & TOWELLING,
DIAPER and DAMASK TOWELS,
KITCHEN TOWELLING,
STRIPED HESSIANS,
LINEN CRUMB CLOTHS,
LINEN TABLE NAPKINS & D'OYLIES
FINE LINEN FRONTINGS,
GRASS LINENS.
WINDOW HOLLAND,

ALSO

SEVERAL CASES OF NEW PRINTS, All Best Colors.

All goods are now marked at prices in accordance with the strictly Cash System we lately adopted.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO.,
Importers.
March 5th, 1877.

METROPOLITAN HALL!

ONE NIGHT ONLY.

WEDNESDAY, March 7th.

The great London and New York Success

DANIEL DRUCE!

(BLACKSMITH,)

Will be produced under the immediate direction of

MESSRS. JARRETT & PALMER,

the renowned Managers of

BOOTH'S THEATRE

New York, and with the Dramatic Company from that famed establishment.

☞ This beautiful Drama is one of the most pathetic description, being a tender, touching and heart stirring love story; replete with powerful situations and terrifying incidents. It will be produced with new scenery and every attention to detail.

☞ Reserved Seats, 75c. Admission 50 and 25c. Sale of seats commences at Reynolds' Book Store on Tuesday.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are after-wards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf

THE THIRD ANNUAL

CONVERSAZIONE!

—OF THE—

MURCHISON CLUB

Will be held in the

Town Hall, Wednesday ev'g 7th

Inst., at 7½ O'Clock.

TICKETS, 20 cents each, or three for 50c.

S. A. GARDNER, Sec'y.
Belleville, March 3d, 1876. 3i

NEW OPERA HOUSE!

BELLEVILLE.

GRAND OPENING

THE

BARNABEE

CONCERT COMPANY

OF BOSTON,

The most popular Musical organization in the United States, have been engaged to give

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

In the above house on the evenings of

MARCH 9 & 10,

With Entire Change of Programme Each Evening.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Boxes—Lower $6.00; Upper $5.00.
Orchestra Chairs and Parquette, $1.00.
Dress Circle, 75 cents.
Gallery, 50 "
Pit, 50 "

☞ Tickets for sale at Mr. Harrison's Music Store, where plan of Hall can be seen.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert will commence at 8.

March 1st, 1877.

PRIVATE MONEY TO LEND

IN Sums and on Terms as to repayment as applicant may wish.

Apply to

J. H. SIMPSON,
Barrister,
Belleville.

THE FIRST.

RECEIVED TO-DAY

ONE CASE OF

Ladies' Black & Brown Straws

IN THE

NEWEST STYLES

AND AT ALL PRICES.

—ALSO—

ANOTHER LOT of those CHEAP

2 Button FRENCH KIDS

WORTH $1.00,

ONLY 65c

AT COSTELLO'S

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, INFANTS' ROBES, CLOAKS, APRONS, &c., &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson,
Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hall

GOOD GOODS

CHEAP.

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

CLEARING SALE.

MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St.,
BELLEVILLE, Ont.
Feb. 7th, 1877.

TENDERS

FOR SUPPLYING

75 Cords of Beech and Maple

BODY WOOD,

At the Junction of the Belleville and North Hastings Railway with the Grand Junction, will be received up to

SATURDAY, 10TH MARCH.

For further information apply at this office, or

C. E. DALY,
Chief Engineer, Madoc.

B. & N. H. Ry Offices,
Belleville, Feby 26th, 1877. td

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Panel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.
Belleville, 24th Feb, 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND UNK [illegible] TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ...6.10 p m
d .. .. 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ...12.22 a m
X .. .. 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 6.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

ARRIVAL.—The S. S. Caspian from Liverpool arrived at Halifax yesterday with 27 cabin and 59 steerage passengers.

CONVERSAZIONE.—The third annual conversazione of the Murchison Club take place tomorrow evening in the Town Hall.

THE CELLS.—There were three prisoners and four tramps locked-up in the cells last night.

STILL LIVING.—Harry Lindley and his "talanted company are still on the road.—The Ada Gray party has been re-organied and will soon start on the road,

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2-50 and $3.00 per day.

THE INAUGURAL.—We would like to have found room for the remainder of President Hayes' inaugural address, but space and help forbid.

READ IT.—An interesting Communication from an applicant for the position of Writing Master in the Public Schools, appears in another column. It will well repay perusal and will afford the reader a good, solid laugh.

THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.—The March number of this excellent farmer's monthly is just to hand. It is replete with information of every character calculated to benefit the agriculturist and the housewife.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

ECONOMY.—The town clock is now lighted by four burners instead of sixteen as formerly and the dials are as distinguishable as they were when all the burners was going. This act of economy could be imitated by other committees with benefit to the town.

NEEDS REPAIRING.—The sidewalk on Bridge street, opposite the residence of Dr. Higginbotham, is in a dilapidated state and dangerous for night pedestrians who have to travel that way. It should be looked after.

CARNIVAL.—A skating carnival will take place in the Rink on Pinnacle Street on Thursday evening. The two preceding carnivals were very successful pecuniarily and otherwise, and it is the skating mania is very prevalent here, it is safe to predict that on Thursday night the rink will be well filled.

YACHTING NOTE.—On the Opening of navigation four new yachts will be launched at Oswego; 1 first class and the remainder second-class. This addition increases the fleet of that city to eight. We are pleased to note this evidence of enterprise and hope that a regatta will be gotten up at that city so that our boats can go over there and capture all the prizes.

LUMBERING.—Parties who have returned from the lumbering districts report that great difficulties are still experienced owing to the want of snow and it will be impossible to get the timber to market unless the weather changes. Numbers of Shantymen have been discharged there being no work for them.

THE COUNCIL.—At the meeting last evening, three by-laws were passed; one for the establishment of a Board of Health; one for the Government of the Police Force and one prohibiting the soliciting of passengers at the the depot and wharves. A report from the Fire Water & Gas Comittee recommending the purchase 2,000 feet of carbolized hose from the Gutta Percha Co of New York was passed.

ADVERTISING.—Some merchants think that if they make a good show in their windows, it takes the place of advertising in the newspapers. That is a great mistake. A large class of customers and a good class, have no time to spend lounging on the sidewalks, or looking into the windows. They know what they want, look into their paper to see where they can get it to the best advantage, and go straight there to trade, every time.

FRIENDSHIP'S OFFERING.—James Coneswright, chemist and druggist, who is about leaving town for Toronto, was last evening entertained at an oyster supper. The spread, which was excellent, having had full justice done it, Mr. Coneswright, in response to the toast, "Our Guest," spoke feelingly and very complimentary of his Belleville friends, and expressed much regret at having to part with them. Readings, recitations and music were given, and an enjoyable time passed. As a "pillar" of society we trust that he will long prosper, and in his new home receive that consideration to which he is entitled.—COM.

A THIEF ARRESTED.—A telegram from Napanee, dated March 5th, says:—A telegram from the Chief of Police of Buffalo, N. Y., was received here on Friday to arrest Thomas Fryer, a young man about 24 years of age, who was arrested here today for stealing three gold watches, one silver watch, and several other articles, valued at over $200, from his uncle, Mr. Thomas Wright, who resides in Buffalo. The theft was committed about ten days ago, and the culprit made his way to Napanee, having disposed of all the property at different places. Most of the goods have been recovered.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We have several articles on hand for insertion in the ONTARIO which will receive attention at our earliest convenience. The County Council being in session, our limited space is taxed with necessary matter. The report of the last meeting of the South Hastings Teachers' Association is too long, but being of an interesting nature, we will try and find room for it some time.

"DANIEL DRUCE."—A company under the management of Jarrett & Palmer, of Booth's Theatre, New York, will produce the above play in the Metropolitan Hall tomorrow night. Of a performance given in Toronto the *Globe* of Saturday thus speaks:—"Last evening Jarrett & Palmer's Dramatic Company, from Booth's Theatre, New York, gave a performance, when the play "Dan'l Druce" was produced with every success. The impersonation of Dan'l Druce, the blacksmith, was rendered with good effect by Mr. J. B. Studley, whose portrayal of the avaricious feeling of the miser, his impassioned tenderness and love for his child, together with his manly forgiveness of the faults of an erring wife, were most lifelike, and in the several scenes the acting of Mr. Studley was received with frequent applause. Miss Nannie Egberts made a pleasing Dorothy, and Mr. Jennings, as Haines, the Royalist sergeant and subsequent bailiff to Sir Jasper Coombes, acquitted himself very cleverly, especially as the pompous bailiff, the quaint humour with which he embellished the part being one of the principal features of the performance. Mr. Lanigan as Sir Jasper Coombes, and Mr. Taylor as Wynyard, the sailor, was very good, and the performance throughout was received with hearty favour."

THE OPPOSITION LEADER.

While the choice of a new Opposition leader in place of Mr. M. C. Cameron was convulsing the lobbies of the Legislature, Mr. Meredith bethought him that a good specimen of impromptu generalship might advance his chances for the vacant place. Accordingly he moved something about the payment of taxes as related to voting. Mr. Meredith's motion received 8 votes for to 61 against. Mr. Meredith was not chosen leader of the Opposition.

We learn from the Hamilton "Times" that the huffy M. C. Cameron resumed the leadership of the Ontario Opposition M.P.P.'s, only on condition that henceforth he be allowed to reign over them as absolute monarch, they acknowledging that he does so by divine right. When he takes snuff, they are to sneeze; when he clears his throat, they are to cough; when he "wiggles," they are to "wiggle"; when he "waggles," they are to "waggle;" when he says "Simmon, thumbs up," all Tory thumbs are to go energetically up; and when he says "Simmon, thumbs down," all Tory thumbs are pointed earthwards.—"London 'Tizer."

This and That.

—The members of the Louisiana Returning board have been discharged from custody.

—Land was sold in Exeter last week at the rate of $15,000 per acre.

—There are 131 Indians resident on Snake and Georgina Island, Lake Simcoe.

—The Dunkin Act will not come into force in the county of Grey until the 1st of May.

—It is proposed to break ground for the Kingston Street Railway about the 1st of April.

—A number of the farmers in Elgin have been busily engaged in making maple sugar lately.

—An encounter took place on the floor of the House of Representatives on Saturday between Morrison and Page.

—Trinity Methodist Church, at the Bertrand settlement in Colchester, was dedicated on Wednesday, Feb. 23.

—Fines imposed by the Police Magistrate of Kingston cannot be interfered with by the Council.

—A late gale destroyed 150 feet of crib work in Kincardine harbour, and appears to have formed a bar in the channel.

—An effort being made to extend the Stratford and Huron Railway northward from Listowel meets with some encouragement from representatives of municipalities,

—Last year 371 acres of Thorah Island was sold for the benefit of the Indian proprietors, realizing $1,084; 134 acres of the island remained unsold at the date of the report.

—The House of Representative on Saturday, by a party vote of 137 to 88, agread to consider the resolution from the Privileges Committee declaring Tilden and Hendricks elected.

—A singular accident has happened to a man in London. He was smoking a clay pipe in the street, and was run against by another man. The pipe was thrust into the jaw, and could not be extracted.

—Mr. D. Browne, Collector of Inland Revenue at Montreal, has seized an illicit tobacco factory at St. Alexis. 1,000 pounds of plug were confiscated; also, new machinery, presses, &c,

—The specimens of Canadian marble shown at the Centennial Exhibitions have attracted the attention of the Italian Commissioner, who has had specimens shipped to Italy for the information of the Government.

—A man was playing dice in a saloon in Knoxville, Cal., when the funeral procession of his wife came by. He went to the door, waved his hat, hurrahed, and returned to his game. That night he was almost killed by a mob.

—Five thousand acres of excellent land will be reclaimed from the sea by the operations now under contract at Cole harber, near the city of Halifax. The value of the reclaimed land will be about a quarter of a million dollars.

—Large quantities of apples are now being shipped to the British markets from Western Ontario. Mr. A. Malcolm, of Seaforth, left on Friday last for Glasgow, to meet a shipment he made this week amounting to 27 car loads—8,780 barrels,

—A young girl, now living in the Rue Voltaire, in Bordeaux, France, who was born without arms, uses her mouth in the most extraordinary manner. She can write with the greatest facility, can thread the finest needle, embroider, knit, do crochet work, mark linnen, &c., with marvelous regularity, and can even with her mouth tie a sailor's knot.

—Signs of spring;-Wild geese flying north and a slight activity in the wall paper trade.

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE.—The numbers of The Living Age for the weeks ending February 24th and March 3rd contain The Life of the Prince Consort, by Rt. Hon W. E. Gladstone, Church Quarterly Review; Forel on the Ants of Switzerland, Edinburgh Review; Magazine Literature, Church Quarterly; Goethe in his Old Age, by Edward Errington de Fonblanque, New Quarterly; Mediterranean Deltas, Edinburgh Review; Weimar under Schiller and Goethe, Contemporary Review; The "Dreadful People" who go to Court, Truth; Wit in Court, Leisure Hour; The Eastern Polar Basin, by Augustus Petermann, Macmillan; How it Happened, by Narissa Rosavo, Victoria Magazine, Mariuccia, Fraser; an instalment of "The Marquis of Lossie," by George MacDonald, and of William Black's new serial, together with choice poetry and miscellany.

The back numbers containing the first instalments of MacDonald's new serial are still sent gratis to new subscribers for 1877. For fifty-two numbers, of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3000 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or weeklies with The Living Age for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Gay, Boston, are the publishers.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

SECOND SESSION—FIRST DAY.

TUESDAY, March 6, 1877.

The Council met at two o'clock.

PRESENT—His Honor the Warden; Messrs. Anderson, Ashley, Aylesworth, Craig, Currie, Flint, Gordon, Grass, Gunter, Haggerty, Kavanagh, McCreary, McKim, Murphy, Pearce, Robinson, Rose, Vankleek, Weese, White, Wilmot, and Wood.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

THE WARDEN'S ADDRESS.

The Warden then addressed the Council. He said that nothing more than the ordinary business would be brought before them at this meeting. Reports would be presented by the several committees, and the Auditors' report would be laid before them. In regard to the Demont account, which was caused by the expenses connected with the burial of a child in Tyendinaga, and which was referred in order to get the opinion of the County Solicitor, he said that he had consulted with that official, and he will give his opinion at this session. He also stated for the information of the Council that he had given orders on the Treasurer for the following amounts: $50 on the recommendation of Mr. Wood for right of way across Lot. No. 3 in the 9th Con. of Marmora; and $585.83 to Mr. Francis, County Surveyor, for materials for building bridges. In conclusion, he asked the earnest consideration of all matters that would be brought before them.

COMMUNICATION.

The following was handed in and read.

From the Belleville Mechanic's Institute tendering the free use of the reading rooms and library to the members of the County Council.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

HONORS TO "UNCLE TOM."

LONDON, March 6.—Josiah Hanson, the original of Mrs. Stowe's "Uncle Tom," was received by the Queen and Royal Family at Windsor Castle yesterday.

AMERICAN.

FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE.

ST. LOUIS, March 6.—The loss by the burning of the Allen building is half a million. Wm. Brown was burned to death.

POLITICAL RUMORS.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Times*' Cincinnati special reports that Judge Matthews will succeed Senator Sherman, and Attorney General Taft will be reserved for the Gubernatorial nomination next fall.

PAYS WITH INTEREST.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 6.—Edgral Martin absconded in 1865 with $20,000 entrusted to him for the purchase of oil lands by Harper & Co. of Philadelphia. Wm. Harper, surviving member of the above firm, has just returned from California, whither he was called by Martin, who paid him in full with interest the amount embezzled. Martin says he is interested in the Peruvian mines, and is worth two millions.

MISSOURI PROTESTS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 6.—The Missouri Legislature yesterday passed a resolution ordering the Adjutant-General to hoist the flag at half-mast. A resolution was also offered, amid great excitement and confusion, declaring Tilden elected.

THE SOUTH SATISFIED.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Sun's* Washington special says an interview with about 25 Southern Democrats, since the delivery of Hayes' inaugural, show that they all concur in the opinion that if Hayes adheres to the policy indicated his administration will meet with the approval and support of the Southern people.

HAYES' CABINET.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says Evarts, Sherman, Schurz, and McCrary have positively accepted the positions tendered to them, and a dispatch from Key indicates his willingness to become Postmaster-General.

REPUBLICANS DIVIDED

Republicans are divided, as to the inaugural address, into three parties, one favoring it, another denouncing it and charging Hayes with Andrew Johnsonizing, and the third non-committal until they see the practical working of the new policy.

WHAT THE DEMOCRATS SAY.

Democrats are no more unanimous in their opinion than Republicans. Conservatives are pleased, and those from the South, especially, give it hearty praise.

A BUSINESS REVIVAL.

The *Tribune's* interviews with leading business men report the settlement of the Presidential contest has already revived the hopes of the business classes.

AFTER THE SPOILS.

Hon E. B. Washburne, Minister to France, has arrived here.

THE PIPE DID IT.

Betsey Quale, aged 75, set fire to her clothes while smoking yesterday and was fatally burned.

AIDING THE CUBANS.

It is reported that the Schooner "Bovive," which left the United States heavily laden with contraband munitions of war, has landed her cargo safely on the south coast of Cuba.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

ENGLISH PRESS ON THE INAUGURAL.

LONDON, March 6.—Hayes' inaugural, which is published in full this morning, created a very favorable impression.

The *Times* says the greater part of it was of character that might have been well received by men of all parties.

The *News* says: "Of course general principles don't help much to cool angry passions which have been seething for years, but there is a time for a statement of principles as well as details, and it is but fair to remark that as far as they go the principles President Hayes enunciates are excellent.

The *Telegraph* says: "Hayes' comments on the election ordeal, which put such a severe strain on the Constitution, are such as become a President, who, from the moment he takes the oath of office, should belong to all parties. On the whole we do not imagine that even his candid opponents will complain of the tone and temper of the Address, which deals with questions of the highest moment, primarily to America, and indirectly to all the world. Hayes speaks with a dignity and frankness becoming the Chief Magistrate of a great people, and points the way to ends, which, if they can be accomplished, will rebound to his honor and that of his country."

—An exchange truthfully says that it is easier to raise a hundred dollars for the purchase of a gold watch to be presented to somebody who does not need it, than it is to collect the same amount for some poor man from the same persons who we him money.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 5.

Greenbacks buying at...	93¾ to 94
" selling at...	95
American Silver buying at...	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange ...	83¼

Gold opened at 104½; closed at 104⅝.

☞ Two or three colds in succession will, with many constitutions, securely establish he seeds of consumption in the system, thus converting what was originally a simple curable affection, into one generally fatal. Ordinary prudence, therefore, makes it the business of every one to take care of a cold until it is got rid of. Fortunately "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" are thoroughly adapted to remove speedily all coughs and colds, and are equally effective in the primary stages of consumption, asthma, and bronchitis. Sold by all druggists and country dealers; price 25 cents per box.

WHO that has seen a dangerous disease arrested by an able physician or a good medicine but values both? Be it your family physician to whom you owe so many escapes from aches and ails, or Dr. Ayer's inimitable remedies:—his Sarsaparilla that renewed your vitality or Cherry Pectoral that cured a painful cough, or his Ague Cure that expelled the freezing ague and burning fever from your blood. Who that has been relieved by any of these agencies but feels grateful for them all? [Bangor Times.

The hair is not only one of the accessories of human beauty, but is designed to protect the health; as a bad conducter of heart it serves to equalize the temperature of the brain. The nerve contained in the hair tube is frequently paralyzed and the coloring destroyed; but by proper remedies the gray hair can be restored to its original color, and where it has fallen off a new growth can be produced by the use of Halls' Vegetable Sicilian Renewer. The reproducing power of this invaluable compound is beyond a doubt. By its use the absorbents become active and nourish the bulb which supports the roots of the hair.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D., Bible House, New York City. 3tawd&w6m

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For the King, by Chas. Gibbon.
Halves, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, "
Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
The Secret of the Island, "
Tour of the World in 80 Days, "
Abandoned, "

BELFORD'S NEW PUBLICATIONS.
Kate Danton. The Family Doom.
Madcap Violet. Ten Years of My Life, &c
Belford's Magazine for March,

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.
March 1, 1877.

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BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

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With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

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We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

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Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 3, '77, tf

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Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

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On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the

Baking and Confectionery Line.

Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
WM DICKENS & SONS.

AGAIN

WE have to remind those indebted to us that owing to the Dissolution of Partnership we have to request from one and all

An Immediate Settlement

of their accounts.

☞ Please save yourself and us the annoyance of any further gentle hints on this subject.

W. & J. W. JOHNSON.

THE SCHOOLMASTER ABROAD.

He Wants a Position.

HE'LL TEACH WRITING AND BOARD AROUND.

Some time ago the Board of Education of this town deemed it advisable to engage the services of a writing master, and in order to obtain an efficient person to fill the position, advertised in the *Globe*. In due time answers came, and among the number was one of which the following is a copy.

HERE IT IS!—READ IT!! READ IT!!!

Flint, Michigan, February 28, 1877.

Trustees Belleville Schools,
Canada, Ontario

DEAR SIR,—I will teach the rightin in your schools what you advertise for in the globe nusepaper. I am a canadean by birth and was a teacher of a school in Simco County and had a 31 class certiflikit befor that new law about schools cum out. My school was in the back part of the county where thare was the hardist boys to mannage in the hole country, some of them so big that they wade 175 pouns and ugly to. I was the only man at that time what could keep them under. They kept a misses for there school thare in summer but always had to git me when all the big boys cum in fal and winter. I had that school 4 winters and left that part of the country and cum here becose I was deceaved by yankies out here tellin me that I could git big pay at lumberin. I have been at it 2 years now and made up my mind that I can do better in canada. my father sent me the nusepaper what has yore advertisement in and told me to tell you that you might ask bill d——what lives in Bellville and nows us about our family. been out of praktis & choppin hard every day ol winter in the Mickhenry shanty at $25 a munth and now haven to right with a bad pen and paper on a old pine tabel you musint think this is the best I kin do.

When I was in pracktis I was called the best righter in Simco County and in less than one weak when I git the stifnes out of my hand I kin right as wel as ever, if I had good meterial. I wil pracktis up when I cum down there and in a munth or 2 ile do sume penmanship that you schools ill ol be proud of. mi biggest holt is teachen righten. mi skoolers were the best righters in Simco County and I have gave privet lesens to men in the shanty here who coudent rite at ol and by mi way of explainin it in less than a weak youd ol be surprised to see them rite. Peple wodent beleve they learned in such hort time. I kin do flurichin to or letterinand drowin, only Im a littel out of pracktis now. ile garrente you a good job in your schools. if I dont give good sattisfackshun I ont ask you nothin when mi time is out. I am a powerful strong man and kin keep good order in any school. I way from 190 to 196 pouns without being fat.

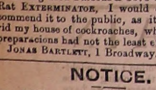
Ill come for $300 a year and do nothin else or if youl get me a job as pealer on the street after school and saterdays by which I kin turn over an onest peny ile cum for $250. do your teachers bored around. ef youl bored them ile work for $10 a munth.

As I sade before I dont like the work out here and wood rather teach rightin for haf the pay and I think you ot to give a preference to a canaden who woud like best to cum back to his own cuntry. Ile send out to the post office on the 6th of nex munth for your anser and hope ile get the job. ile practis up and be redy fur you. youl se by this mi hand hasent lost its cunnin yet. If nobody has the job befor this gits to you do ol you kin for me and ile give you the best satisfaction or I ont ask you a sent. adress as follos. Francis George Smith for Makhenry's shanty. Flint P. O. Michigan, U. S.

On the back of a photograph which accompanied the letter is the following:—

I thot best to send you my fotograf, you may kepe it til I come down.

NOTE.—The photograph represents Francis George as a youth of about 45 gentle summers. On his head is a nobby California hat which sets him off to advantage. There is nothing attractive in the appearence of his coat, but his vest goes far to fill up that want, as it is very nobby and looks as if it possessed all the colors of the rainbow, or at least all the light shades. Francis George doesn't wear whiskers or a moustache. His soul revolts at the thought of such ornamentations. He is clean shaven, and as a consequence shows plenty of cheek, as instance the letter above. He has a large mouth and otherwise shows evidence of being a persistent chewer of tobacco. He looks very fierce, and we have no hesitation in endorsing his statement that "he kin keep order in his school." Francis George doesn't amount to much as a grammarian; he is not a correct speller, that's certain, and his "rightin" is not sufficiently clear, bold and distinct to lead us to think that he would be a success. We like to hear of men with lofty aspirations; we like to hear of men who are capable of filling high positions, and we also like to hear of men who can polish off a wood pile and sling a lively pen. Francis George might make a success at the wood pile, but he can never possess the latter accomplishment. His spelling, like his "rightin" is susceptible of improvement. Still he might make a good pealer; therefore we draw consolation from that. In conclusion we might remark that it is barely possible that Francis George will come here.



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JOSEPH DURAND.
P S—Second hand Furniture and Clothing Bought and Sold, as usual.
Belleville, Dec'r 26, 1876 dlin,w8

A CARD.

To the Ladies of Belleville and Vicinity:

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Feb. 12th, 1877.

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Belleville, Feb. 24, 1875. wly

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DR. JAMES
May be found at his
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Front Street, from 10 to 12 in the forenoon and from 2 to 4:30 in the afternoon. All other hours at his residence, Church St., near Kingston Road.
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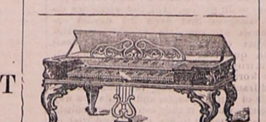

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ADDIE M. CAMPBELL.
Belleville, Dec 8th, 1875

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WHICH ARE ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE EQUAL TO ANY ALES NOW MANUFACTURED
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The third annual conversazione of the Murchison Club was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, 7th inst. After prayer by Rev. D. Jaques, the President, Professor Bell, briefly alluded to the object of the Club, which were the cultivation of the several branches of Natural Science, and the diffusion of a

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John Slaven and Michael Mahon had their cases laid over till Monday.

This and That.

—Vennor finds St. Patrick's Day to be within the bad weather circle of his predictions.

—John D. Lee, of Mountain Meadow massacre notoriety, has been sentenced to be hanged on the 23rd prox.

—The President will not convene an extra session of Congress for an earlier date than the ... of June.

—The President declines to decide in regard to South Caroline, leaving the matter to the Cabinet's consideration.

—The bodies of the young men, John and Charles Deadman, who were drowned in the River Thames, near Delaware, on Tuesday, were recovered last evening.

—Mr. T. C. Patteson, of the "Mail" who has been in England for several months, was a passenger by the Caspian, which arrived at Halifax on Tuesday.

—A Toronto gentleman has invented a new method of launching a lifeboat, by which the boat may be safely launched in from ten to fifteen seconds by one man.

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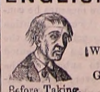

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COUNTY COUNCIL.

THIRD DAY.

THURSDAY, March 8, 1877.

The Council met at ten o'clock.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. Grass introduced a by-law assuming the road near Gordon's Bridge as a County Road.

Mr. Flint gave notice of a by-law to group certain townships and parts of townships for the purpose of submitting to the ratepayers thereof a bonus of $75,000 for the Huron & Quebec Railway.

Mr. Ashley moved, seconded by Mr. McCready, that the Superintendent be instructed to make arrangements with farmers on the three leading roads with a view of erecting tight board or wire fences on the side of the road; the distance to be about one third of a mile; the roads on which the fences are to be built are the Frankford, Madoc and Tweed lines. The mover said this was merely experimental and he considered that it would be productive of good.

Mr. Wood advised the withdrawal of the motion as the matter could be taken up at the June session when it could be estimated for.

The motion was withdrawn.

The Committee on Ways and Means resumed.

The prayer of Sheriff Taylor's petition granted.

Committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.—Granted.

Mr. Flint introduced a by-law to aid the Huron & Quebec Railway—Referred to the Committee on By-laws.

The deputation on motion was heard.

Major Boulton said the company was desirous of submitting a by-law to a portion of the country through which the proposed railway was to pass. The road was proposed to run from Toronto to Ottawa. The scheme was in consideration for some time, and had been agitated for some time and was before the public for some years. The road would run through the town of Peterborough and the village of Madoc. It was proposed to ask $75,000 from this county. The city of Toronto is expected to give $250,000; Peterborough $300,000; Lanark county $90,000; Lanark village $10,000 the country between Toronto and Peterborough $150,000 Hastings $75 000 and Frontenac about $30,000 or $40,000; altogether public aid to the extent of about $1,000,000 was expected. The Government was expected to grant about $8,000 per mile. The county of Peterborough had labored under great disadvantages owing to the absence of competitive rates which he considered would benefit the people. The country through which the road passed would be opened up and this would serve to increase the value of property. The proposed road would connect at Toronto with the several lines there and would unite at Ottawa with the Quebec lines thus furnishing two lines to the sea board. He contended that great benefits would accrue to the country by the building of this road as the front townships would be aided as well as the back ones by its construction. The group of townships that it was proposed to ask aid from was as follows; the 7 north concessions of Huntington, Hungerford and Rawdon; the Townships of Madoc, Marmora and Lake, Tuder, Wallaston, Limerick and Cashel and Elzevir and Grimsthorpe. According to the equalized value all property in that group would be required to pay an additional rate of 2.62-100 mills on the dollar. He had endeavored to frame the by-law so that all difficulties and objections could be obviated and he would be pleased to receive any suggestions that any of the members would think would be acceptable to the people.

Mr. Dumble spoke of the benefits accruing to any country by the construction of railways, and argued that the building of this line would be beneficial to the county. Those who would receive the benefits that the construction of this road would give should the more immediately contribute towards its construction. The trade of the greater part of the country would go over this line as the line would be shorter and the rates cheaper than those the G. T. R.

Mr. Wood said he was pleased to listen to the remarks of the deputation as they had put the matter in a fair light, still it was not expected they would do any thing else. He agreed with the remarks on the importance of the road as all railroads open up and develop the resources of any country. He was impressed with the importance of this road to the back part of the county. He had given a great deal of attention to this road and was impressed with the desirability of having a road. When this road was known as the H. & O. Road, Sir H. Allen favored it and promised to support it. Circumstances arose, however, that led him to depart from that course. He had read the by-law and found it was drawn up in accordance with the petitions presented. It was necessary for a by-law like this to have a certain number of signatures attached to the petition favoring it, and in this instance many had signed it who had no idea of the wants of a railroad. A petition for the submission of a by-law required the names of twenty persons, and it was not a difficult matter to get that number. As an instance of this he cited the case of the Credit Valley Road, and averred that it was not at all difficult to go to Madoc and get plenty of names for such a scheme. In Huntingdon the same was the case. Taking it for granted that the by-law was in accord with the petition, there was no necessity for going into Committee, for if the Council thought it well to go into Committee and pass it, it was merely a formal matter. While he thought such an enterprise would benefit the County he was not in accord with the provisions of the by-law. He was sorry he had to oppose the by-law. It may be said that it was compulsory to submit a by-law, but he thought that the Council could decide to the contrary. The original scheme had fallen through while under the management of Mr. Fowler, and he was glad these gentlemen had taken it up. He opposed the by-law in the interests of the Township of Madoc. This by-law, if passed, would set a bad precedent, inasmuch as one of its provisions stated that $1,000 should be paid as each mile was graded. No corporation should grant money to aid a road unless there was a guarantee that none of the money should be paid until the road was finally completed. If we accepted that by-law we would pay $36 000, and perhaps then the scheme might burst. He objected to this scheme on this account, and was entirely opposed to any such provision. $56 000 of this by-law if passed, would be in the hands of this Company before the road would be built. Again, the road was supposed to pass within two miles of Madoc. He was opposed to this, as if when a railway was

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The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 9.

THE Northern Railway Investigation Committee will be regularly appointed to-day, and it is highly probable that something more of an interesting nature will be brought to light.

THE first party division of the session will probably take place to-day. The Northern Railway Committee is to be selected by the House, and the vote will be as correct a test of the strength of the parties as can be had. No side issues will intrude.

CONSERVATIVE organs continue to abuse Mr. Greenway, the member for South Huron, declaring that he has betrayed the Conservatives of that Riding. He was elected as an independent supporter of the Government, and his votes in the House, especially on the tariff question, have been strictly in keeping with promises given to his constituents.

MR. W. H. GIBBS, the member for North Ontario, insists that the Government should resign "*instanter*" and appeal to the country. Since his election last summer, Mr. Gibbs is convinced that the Ministry has lost the confidence of the electors, and he cannot sit quietly in his place in the House and witness such a usurpation of power. The Treasury Benches, he thinks, should be in the possession of the party he supports.

MR. CHARLTON, in his able address before the House last Tuesday evening, presented an array of figures which will require more than vague pronunciamentos by protectionists to be refuted. He clearly showed that Americans only export 1½ per cent. of the products of their factories, while their protective system makes them pay 35 per cent. on the whole amount. Before the war they had free trade, or nearly so, and had they maintained the same ratio of exports, they would now export fully 30 millions more than they really do. This is a nut for the Opposition to crack—if they can.

MRS. WOOD, the correspondent of a Detroit paper, who occupies a seat in the Press Gallery at Ottawa, is a great sensation. She has completely upset the serene calculations of the gentlemen comprising that select colony, and they have determined to petition for her removal to the upper and less conspicuous press reindezvous. Not content with driving bashful male members of the "fourth estate" to distraction by a critical inspection of their personal charms, she has made herself obnoxious to the occupants of the ladies' gallery by noting the peculiarities of their dresses and general appearance with the aid of an opera-glass. She is a real American institution, and has already revolutionized society at the Capital in no small degree. It is somewhat doubtful, however, if she succeeds in driving all the spectators from the galleries of the House of Commons.

IN A DILEMMA.

Sir John says he will accept Mr. Wood's amendment to make the question of protection a square issue, but it was quite evident he did so with a sour stomach. He had put on record a non-committal, half-hearted protest against the fiscal policy of the Government, and consoled himself with the idea that by this means he would be able to pull the wool over the eyes of the public sufficiently to appear consistent, and at the same time pave the way for escape should emergencies arise in the future. But the bit of strategy would not work, and Mr. Wood has forced him to an open declaration of his principles on an issue that admits of no false pretenses. Sir John's own amendment was simply an abstract declaration of what he would support as a tariff policy, but was so indefinite as to leave every free trader in the House at perfect liberty to vote for it without compunction or violation of principle. In asking for a re-adjustment of the tariff he merely repeated what Mr. Mackenzie has stated to be a cardinal doctrine in his policy. As we have said, Sir John announces his readiness to support Mr. Wood's motion, but complains that it is partial, inasmuch as it grants protection to manufacturing industries only. To remedy this defect he declares his intention to move a resolution in favor of protection for everything and everybody. Driven from his fancied security in a vague, non-protective motion, he rushes to the very opposite extreme. But all who know Sir John can appreciate the game he is playing.

MR. MACKENZIE'S DUTY.

Says the London *Advertiser*:—If Premier Mackenzie expects to retain the confidence of the country, he must give an account of the disposition of that $6,000, which has not been refunded from the hidden balance of the Secret Service Fund. Sir John Macdonald took away $32,000. He returned $26,000. The present head of the Government is responsible for the deficit, unless he can show that it has been properly expended. It is not enough to say that Sir. John grabbed it and will not tell what he did with it. The Courts can make Sir John refund. If Senator Campbell has taken the money to pay the Kingston election expenses, it is still a debt due by Sir John Macdonald to the Dominion. And if Senator Campbell earned it as a Foulan detective in plain clothes, the public has a right to some voucher for the service.

Editorial Notes.

DR. FORTIN, member in the Local House for Gaspe, Quebec, has been unseated with costs.

MR. MCLEAN, of Guelph, has been appointed Collector of Customs for that District. He had been Acting Collector for some time.

AN illicit still was last week seized and destroyed by the Revenue Officers, in the Township of Luther. The owner, one Carroll, was fined $100.

THE New York State Legislature has passed a measure making betting and pool-selling illegal.

TORONTO proposes to spend $79,255 on her public schools during the current year.

CONSERVATIVES express themselves pleased with the appointment of Rev. James. Baird to the Postmastership of Port Hope.

WM. DRURY, of Rothsay, was, on Wednesday morning, found frozen to death between his own house and the village tavern. Whiskey did it.

EDWARD HANLON, the champion oarsman, is having a new boat built by Geo. Wharin of Toronto. It will be ready by the 1st of May.

THE brakesmen on the Grand Trunk Railway have wisely settled their grievance, by acknowledging no grievance at all, and returning to the old rates.

MR. TREMBLAY has been very well received in Charlevoix, and Mr. Langevin's triumphant return is by no means certain.

EIGHT inches of snow have fallen in the woods above Ottawa, and lumbermen are using it to excellent advantage in hauling timber to the rivers.

THE lumber prospects during this summer will not be equal to former years, owing to the want of snow last winter for drawing the logs to the creeks and rivers.

A FEW days since, we published the Biography of a "famous Belleville boy"—Chevalier Ross, and now have much pleasure in announcing the marriage of his beautiful and accomplished daughter, as follows:—"On the evening of March 7th, 1877, at All Saints' Church, Toronto, by the Rev. Arthur H. Baldwin, M.A., Incumbent, MELLO ST. GEORGE ETTRICK HODDER, of the Consolidated Bank, son of Dr. E. M. Hodder, Toronto, F.R.C.S., Eng., F.O.S., Lon., Dean of the Medical Faculty of Trinity College, Toronto, to MINNIE FREDERIKA, eldest daughter of Dr. A. M. ROSS, Toronto, F.R.S.L., Eng., F.L.S. and F.Z.S., Lon., Chevalier in the Kingdoms of Italy, Portugal, Spain, Greece, and Saxony."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

THURSDAY, March 8th.

In the Senate, the two principal topics discussed were the Intercolonial and Mr. Blake's Bill to amend the Act respecting offences against the person. The latter measure was warmly opposed bo Mr. Brown and the President, Mr. Christie.

Mr. RICHARD's Bill to amend the Election Act was discussed. The Bill proposed that the deposits of $50 now paid by each candidate to the returning-officer should be increased to $200, of which $150 should be returned to successful candidate or any candidate who had polled one-half the votes of the successful candidate. The object of the Bill was to impose further restraint upon vexatious or bogus candidates.

Mr. BLAKE suggested that the order for the second reading should be discharged, which was subsequently done.

A discussion, chiefly among the French members, took place on the Quebec Graving Dock, in which M. Cauchon received a large share of attention.

Mr. MACKENZIE explained the causes of delay and vindicated the Government against the imputation that the dock question had been used for political purposes.

Mr. IRVING's Criminal Procedure Bill was, with some amendments read a third time.

Mr. DYMOND moved the third reading of the Bill to enable persons charged with crime to give evidence under oath. He referred to various authorities in support of his measure, and replied to arguments used in opposition to the proposed change.

Mr. BLAKE thought the question was not yet ripe for legislation, and opposed the idea of waiting for legislation on the subject by the Imperial Parliament.

The Bill was then withdrawn, and the House adjourned.

PERSONAL.

A Montreal correspondent of the New York *World*, writing of the changes in the *personnel* of the Presidency of the Merchants' Bank, thus pleasantly describes the new President: "The Hon. John Hamilton is rather a young man, forty years or thereabouts; a life member of the Senate; junior partner in the great lumbering firm of Hamilton Brothers, and if not as splendid a financier as his brother, still a man accustomed to dealing with great interests—conscientious, pains-taking, conservative, and honest. He is worth a couple of millions, is the backer of the Ritualistic wing of the Church of England, farms sumptuously every day, has something of a round belly, wears the biggest hat in the Dominion, and is without an enemy. The selection seems to me a wise one. The Hamiltons are of the patricians of Canadian finance, an old house, and conservative almost to fossilism in some things; so the appointment of the Senator from Inkerman will reassure the doubting stockholders and public generally."

—The Gaspe contested election case has been decided, with costs, against Mr. Fortin.

THE INSURANCE BILL.

Yesterday morning the Banking and Commerce Committee further considered the Insurance Bill, and Mr. Wm. Macdougall appeared as counsel for the New York Chamber of Life Insurance. He contended that the Bill was impracticable in its nature, at least so far as mutual companies were concerned. No companies and no insurers, he said, had asked for the Bill. Their only wish was to be left alone. This, he thought, was an important matter to consider, so far as American companies are concerned, for Canadian companies represented no less than $45,000,000 of liabilities. The principle of the measure he considered illegal, that the Parliament of Canada was to drive American agencies out of the country. The companies he represented were perfectly willing to submit to the keenest scrutiny, and to every process calculated to increase the public confidence. Though the Bill was an improvement on that of last year, he characterized it as containing much that was artificial, and embodying a principle that could not be carried out.

Mr. Davidson, of Montreal, who represents the British Mutual Companies, read a letter from a home corporation to the effect that the Bill would be accepted, and would be complied with in every respect. They were ready to put up any deposit that would be asked by the Government. He protested against British companies being called foreign corporations. They did not take money out of the country. They had already invested in Canada $3,214,000, and the Standard, London and Liverpool, Globe, North British and Mercantile and the Life Association of Scotland were now considering a plan by which all their receipts should be so invested in this country that they could offer superior inducements as to increased safety and rates.

Mr. Cartwright read a letter from Mr. Charlton J. Lewis, Secretary of American Insurances, in which that celebrated actuary complimented the Government upon the manner in which the Bill was drawn up, and added that the companies he represented were prepared to accede to its conditions. These statements were flatly in contradiction of the arguments put forward for Mr. Macdougall.

The Committee passed the clauses *seriatim* to No. 15. Mr. Young contended that when a company became insolvent it should be compelled to re-insure its policies in a sound corporation. Messrs. Wood and Young offered strong objections to the last portion of the 16th clause, arguing that the promise was opposed to the principle of the Bill. Mr. Young moved that the clause be so amended that the reserve deposited with the Finance Minister would be held for the protection of Canadian policy-holders only. The amendment was carried after a warm debate and considerable excitement. It is stated that Mr. Young's amendment completely changes the aspect of the Bill, and, unless reversed, will necessitate the striking out of a very large portion of it.

SCENE IN A MENAGERIE.

A KEEPER'S STRUGGLE WITH A PANTHER WHICH HAD JUST TASTED BLOOD.

Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle and Sentinel.

Yesterday the feeding at the winter quarters of the circus and menagerie took place about 11 o'clock, and as usual attracted a number of spectators. The beef was distributed to the animals by the assistant keeper. In going the rounds he finally reached the cage of the Texas panthers. Apparently ravenous with hunger, these fierce creatures jumped wildly from side to side of the cage, which shook fearfully under the tremendous bounds. Placing the tray with the meat on the ground in front of the cage, the keeper stuck his pitchfork into a large piece of meat and pushed it between two of the bars. One of the panthers instantly grasped the beef with teeth and claws, and pulled with all his might upon it. The piece was rather larger that usual, or it got crosswise the bars. The panther pulled hard, growling fiercely the while, and the meat gradually squeezed into the cage. But the tremendous strain had been too much for one of the bars. A spectator saw the bar suddenly start from its socket at the bottom of the cage and bend inwards in such a manner that the panther could force its way out. In a moment he called to the keeper, "Look out, that panther is about to get out." The keeper, however, who was busily engaged, did not her him, and in an instant almost the panther had forced its way out, jumped on the ground beside the keeper, and grasped a piece of meat. A wild scene of terror and confusion immediately ensued. Women and children screamed and ran in every direction, strong men turned pale and the animals in the cage looked on in wonderment. As soon as the panther touched the ground the keeper realized the situation, and with admirable presence of mind and cool bravery threw himself upon the back of the animal, put his hands around its throat and endeavored to choke it into subjection. But the ferocious beast was not to be so easily subdued. Turning over, it engaged in a fierce tussle with the man. By a liberal use of teeth and claws it finally compelled the keeper, to release it, and it then started for the opposite side of the shed. The keeper, who had sprung to his feet followed quickly and grasped the animal by the tail before it had proceeded many steps. The panther, surprised by this novel method of attack, dashed through the shrieking crowd of people in the inclosure, scattering them right and left. The keeper held on manfully to the beast's caudal appendage, notwithstanding its struggles to get loose, and it was under a strain, when he was compelled to let go. Almost immediately, however, the animal came out again, and was once more tackled by the keeper. A second time the panther rushed through the crowd, making no attemp to molest any one, being two closely pressed by the keeper, who clung to his tail with a firm grip. This time panther ran out into the yard next to Ellis street, in the rear of the shed where the cages are kept, dragging the keeper over the ground after it. The now furious beast proceeded rapidly to the end of the yard and tried to climb a tree close to the brick wall. In this attempt, however, it was foiled by the keeper, who held on tenaciously to its tail. By this time the keeper of the elephants and the chief keeper of the animals, who had been endeavoring to capture the truant, managed to get a rope around its neck and thus choke it into subjection. It was then dragged to the cage, which was quickly made secure after the panther 's escape, and preparations made to restore it to its old home. The other four panthers, after persistent efforts by the attendants, in the way of beating and punching, were made to go into the end of the cage farthest from the door. They were then barricaded at that end by placing boards through the bars. This done, the door was opened and the captured panther thrust into the cage. After it was put in it resisted for some time all efforts to remove the ropes which bound it, and it was not until it was choked nearly to death that this could be accomplished.

PERJURY!

The statutes of the land are explicit concerning this crime, but so mild is the action of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, that no one having used them has yet suffered from purgery.

HUNTINGTON COUNCIL

Feb. 26th, 1877.

MEMBERS PRESENT.—James Haggerty, Reeve; M. Robinson, Deputy Reeve; Councillors—James Burrows, George Conley and John Gordon.

The minutes of last session were read and approved.

The Auditors' report was carefully examined and adopted. The report shows a balance in the hands of the Treasurer of $140 61.

Mr. Robinson moved, seconded by Mr. Conley, that the Clerk get the abstract statement of the Auditors printed in the Belleville papers.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Robinson, that the Auditors, H. Ostrom and J. M. Ashley, receive six dollars each for their services. The motion was carried and orders were given for their payment.

Mr. Burrows moved, seconded by Mr. Conley, that the Reeve be authorized to communicate with the B. & N. H. R. Co. respecting the cut crossing the ridge on the road leading from the Madoc gravel road to Reed's mill in the third concession in order that the public may not be hindered from travelling said road, also to prevent accidents at said cut.—Carried.

Mr. Robinson moved, seconded by Mr. Conley, that W. H. Deen receive eight dollars on this salary as caretaker of the Hall—Carried.

An order was given him for that amount.

Moved by Mr. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Conley, that Alexander Harvey be continued as tax collector until the first day of April.—Carried.

An order was given the Clerk for thirteen dollars for stationery, postage, making voters' lists and reporting minutes.

Council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in April.

HAYES' CABINET.

The nominations to President Hayes' Cabinet already sent to the Senate, are:—Wm. M. Evarts, Secretary of State; John Sherman, Ohio, Secretary of the Treasury; Geo. W. McCrary, Iowa, Secretary of War; Richard Thompson, of Indiana, Secretary of the Navy; Chas. Devens, Massachusetts, Attorney-General; David M. Key, Tennessee, Postmaster-General, and [Carl Schurz, Missouri, Secretary of the Interior. The appointment of Key, a Southern Democrat who had fought with the Confederates, will occasion some surprise, but it may be looked upon as a logical sequence of Governor Hayes' policy to govern the country for the people not for a party. It is probable that Key's entrance into the Cabinet will be the means of allaying the dissatisfaction which exists in the Southern States, although it may be looked upon with distrust by many *ultra* Republicans.

NEW OPERA HOUSE!

BELLEVILLE.

GRAND OPENING

THE

BARNABEE

CONCERT COMPANY

OF BOSTON,

The most popular Musical organization in the United States, have been engaged to give

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

In the above house on the evenings of

MARCH 9 & 10

With Entire Change of Programme Each Evening.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Boxes—Lower $6.00; Upper $5.00.
Orchestra Chairs and Parquette, $1.00.
Dress Circle, 75 cents.
Gallery, 50 "
Pit, 50 "

☞ Tickets for sale at Mr. Harrison's Music Store, where plan of Hall can be seen.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert will commence at 8.

March 1st, 1877.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

Return of the original and now famous

Shaughraun Comp'y

From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

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The Finest Dramatic Company in the Dominion!

30 First-Class Artists. 30

ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES!

WITH

NEW SCENERY!
FASHIONABLE TOILETS!
ELEGANT APPOINTMENTS!

The Orchestra will be under the direction of the celebrated Solo-Violinist,

PROF. F. A. MULLEN.

MONDAY, MARCH 12TH,

Grand opening of the Dramatic Season.

LESTER WALLACK'S GREAT MILITARY DRAMA

ROSEDALE!

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5; Upper $4.
Orchestra and Parquette Chairs.....75c
Dress Circle.....50c
Gallery.....25c
Pit.....25c

Box plan now opened at J. C. Reynolds' stationery.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, Bible House, New York City. 31awd&w6m

Arrived

THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,

CHEAP

—AT—

W. R. W'RAE & CO'S

Wholesale Dealers.

BANKRUPT STOCK

FOR SALE.

THE Stock of F. M. CLARKE, Insolvent, will not be sold on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, as advertised, but sale will take place on

Tuesday the 13th day of March

At Half-Past Two, P.M.,

BY AUCTION, En Bloc,

but if no satisfactory offer is made en bloc, then immediately in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms Liberal and made known at time of sale.

The stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory,.....$2625.82
Shop Fixtures.....229.80
Book Debts, about.....1300.00

M. B. ROBLIN,
Assignee.

Belleville, March 5th, 1877. td

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Are now showing NEW Linen Goods, their own importing, bought by them this season for Cash, from the manufacturers in Dunfermline, Glasgow, Dundee and Belfast, consisting of

BLEACHED TABLE LINEN,
LOOM DICE do.
HUCKABUCK TOWELS & TOWELLING,
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Best Piano at Lowest Price.'

CHARLES D BLAKE & CO'S

GRAND, SQUARE & UPRIGHT

PIANO-FORTES!

JOHN N. LAZIER,

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These Pianos are noted for

PRICE,
ELASTIC TOUCH,
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DELICACY & POWER of TONE
And GREAT DURABILITY

Special Inducements to Clergymen, Dealers and Teachers of Music.

Drinking

of all diseases the human frame is liable to. The Jewell Filter will effectually purify Rain, River, Pond, or Canal Water, making the most IMPURE WATER WHOLESOME and SWEET.

While for Cheapness, Durability, Simplicity and Efficiency they stand unrivaled.

Come and see them.

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Front Street, Belleville.

TENDERS

RECEIVED by the undersigned up to WEDNESDAY the 14th MARCH, (noon) for the construction and completion of "Building," as per plans and specifications at the office of John Forin, Esq., Hotel St.

FRED. S. HAINES,
338 Front St

METROPOLITAN HALL.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 12TH,
ONE NIGHT ONLY,

TOM ALLEN

Champion Pugilist of the World, and Company.
Champion Belts and Cups on Exhibition at Spangenberg's Jewelery Store.
Admission 35c. Doors open at half past seven; commence at 8 o'clock.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGE STOCK, sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a SPLIT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have HUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf

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LAWLER FAMLY,
WHEELER & WILSON
WANZER, &c. &c.

PARTIES desirous of obtaining a First-Class Sewing Machine should call and examine the above machines before purchasing elsewhere, as all are manufactured of the best material, and are fully tested before leaving the Factory, and GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION. FACTORY AT G. & J. BROWN'S.

ALL KINDS OF STITCHING DONE TO ORDER AT THE OFFICE.

Agents wanted where there is not already an agency, also a good travelling Agent wanted. Repairs promptly attended to.

OFFICE,—Three doors north of Dollar Store, Belleville.

E. BARRETT, Gen. Agt.

Belleville, Aug. 9th, 1876.

CARD OF THANKS

THE Subscriber wishes to thank her friends

NOTICE

TO

MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand

SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS,

at very moderate prices.

Call and examine for yourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER,
Stove and Tin Shop.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF

Valuable MILL PROPERTY,

TO BE SOLD

By Public Auction,

IN PURSUANCE of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage from JOHN TOWNS, of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, Lumber Merchant, to the Merchants Bank of Canada, which said Mortgage will be produced at the time of sale,

ON SATURDAY,

10th day of MARCH, A.D. '77

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

At the COURT HOUSE,

in the said Town of Belleville, the following

Valuable Freehold Property.

All and Singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Sidney, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being part of Lot Number Thirty-eight in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, which may be known as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the Bay of Quinte, on the west side of the allowance for road between Sidney and Thurlow, thence North sixteen degrees, West four chains eight and one quarter links, thence South seventy-four degrees, West two chains, thence South sixteen degrees, East seven chains thirty-two and one-quarter links, more or less, to the Bay of Quinte, thence Easterly following the waters edge six chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, which said piece of land contains three acres, more or less.

There is upon the said premises a STEAM SAW MILL, with Machinery complete. Also, Two Good Frame Dwelling Houses.

Terms made known at the time of sale.

For further particulars apply to ROBERT THOMSON, Esquire, Manager of the Merchants Bank at Belleville, or the undersigned.

BELL & BELL,
Vendor's Solicitors

Belleville, 8th February, 1877. 21awtd

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ONE CASE OF

Ladies' Black & Brown Straws

IN THE

NEWEST STYLES

AND AT ALL PRICES.

—ALSO—

ANOTHER LOT of those CHEAP

2 Button FRENCH KIDS

WORTH $1.00,

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AT COSTELLO'S

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

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WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS,
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CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

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GOOD GOODS

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GREAT REDUCTION!

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Feb. 7th, 1877.

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The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Panned Door.....$1,00
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All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

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ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON
JOHN W. JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

TENDERS

FOR SUPPLYING

75 Cords of Beech and Maple

BODY WOOD,

At the Junction of the Belleville and North Hastings Railway with the Grand Junction, will be received up to

SATURDY, 10TH MARCH.

For further information apply at this office, or

C. E. DALY,
Chief Engineer, Madoc.

B. & N. H. R'y Offices,
Belleville, Feb'y 26th, 1877. td

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND [T]UNK [TI]ME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6:10 p m
[Mixe]d .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
[Mi]xed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows :—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 9.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—A solitary drunk was the only one registered at the police station last night.

ON THE WING.—The Tandy Brothers vocalized in Peterborough last night. They draw good houses wherever they go.

STEAM YACHT.—Cuthbert has finished a steam yacht which is now ready for launching.

NAVIGATION NOTE.—Two schooners will be ready for launching from the ship yard at Kingston in June.

TROTTING.—In the open trot at Sydenham yesterday "Minnie Grainger" won the first money; White Rose second and Deserter third.

GRANT TO FIREMEN.—In Kingston the grant to firemen is $20 ; here the grant is quite large, but the fire boys have to wait —till they get it.

THE RIVER.—The ice in the vicinity of dams on the river has broken. Last night's rain will help to further break it up unless severe weather sets in.

THE BAY.—The bay is clear of ice from Northport to the Indian church, and in several other places large spaces of water are visible.

SETTLED.—The trouble between the brakesmen and management of the G. T. R. has been wisely settled by a return to the old rates.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The Barnabee Concert Company will open the Opera House to-night. The event promises to be one of unusual interest.

THE SLEIGHING.—Sleighing is popular once more and the waggon and buggy have been wheeled in the dark corner again. The travelling is now very good.

REFUSED.—The County Council yesterday decided not to submit a by-law for $75,000 to the people in aid of the Huron & Quebec Railway.

A DISCOVERY.—The rows in Peterboro between the Orange Young Britons and the Roman Catholics are now attributed to bad whiskey instead of partyism.

BURGLARIES.—Two burglaries were perpetrated in Peterborough on Tuesday night. $20,000 worth of goods was taken from one place.

ARRIVED.—Herr de Gurdy, the celebrated Italian musician, arrived in town to-day and "ground" the usual class of music in spite of the inclement weather. Sure sign of spring.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

WHAT'S THE MATTER.—What can be the matter with the "beautiful snow" poets. We have not received a contribution from them for some time—and yet we have a new waste paper basket.

SUGAR AND GIRLS.—The *Express* man says that maple sugar is sweet but pretty girls are sweeter-er-er-er. Married men should not express opinions in such premises.

SEED GRAIN.—The Council of the Township of Hungerford is considering the advisability of purchasing seed grain to supply parties in that municipality who are unable to procure it.

REDUCED.—The example set by the Kingston Gas Company should be followed by others as they have reduced the price. A favor would thus be conferred which the general public would appreciate.

DID YOU EVER.—And now a lady, who represents the Detroit *Free Press* has a seat in the reporters' gallery at Ottawa. The Bohemians in that city should feel themselves honored.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

SPARRING EXHIBITION.—A sparring exhibition will be given in the Metropolitan Hall on Monday evening next when Allen Madden and several local men who are "up" in the science of sparring will appear.

NAVIGATION.—It seems to be the prevailing opinion among marine men that lake navigation will open earlier this season than it did last year, and furthermore they are hopeful that business will be more brisk and renumerative.

A BLOCKADE.—He came to town yesterday and swapped off his "runaway" horse for a baulky one and got $10 to boot. He started for home, but when in front of the Dominion House the horse traded for decided to take a rest and he did—greatly to the inconvenience of the street cars and other passing vehicles as some time elapsed before the stubborn beast would move on. He returned to town after dark and got another horse for $8 and his own. And still he is not happy.

ASSIZES.—The Spring Assizes open here on Tuesday next.

PORT HOPE POST OFFICE.—Rev. Mr. Baird has been appointed post-master in lieu of Col Smart, dismissed.

THE STORM.—Last night's storm has seriously interrupted telegraph communication, and the wires are down in many places.

A NUISANCE.—The ladies of Peterboro go home with the hangers-on at church doors. Naughty, naughty girls.

ADJOURNED.—The County Council this morning brought its March session to a close, and adjourned till the second Tuesday in June.

THE STREETS.—The streets are not in a very pleasant state for pedestrians, and consequently feats of ground and lofty tumbling are frequently indulged in.

THE ICE CROP.—The work of harvesting the ice crop goes bravely on and every day sleighs can be seen passing through the streets loaded with the congealed fluid.

SENT TO JAIL.—Two persons were this week sent to Peterborough Jail for selling liquor contrary to law. One of the parties was a woman.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—The Society of the Sons of St. Patrick will celebrate the approaching anniversary of Ireland's Patron Saint by a procession which will pass through the principal streets.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.—The dread of appearing before the Police Magistrate has made a large number clear off the street in front of their premises, and now throughout the town the sidewalks are in a "walkable" state.

VENNOR'S LATEST.—Vennor's latest prediction is as follows :—" Between the 15th and 20th we shall have two more sudden descents of the thermometer accompanied by one or two snow storms and some very disagreeable weather. After these dates the temperature will fluctuate to along the freezing line into April, in which month after the fourth day, it will rise to and above 40 degrees. Thus St. Patrick's day falls within a disagreeable curve of the weather line. The day itself may just possibly be fine, but I am persuaded that it will be immediately preceeded and followed by cold, show, and possibly snow and rain."

LOOK AND SEE.—If any merchant or business or professional man has, or thinks he has, any reason to doubt the validity of the many arguments advanced in behalf of the efficacy and value of advertising, he has but to look around upon the business men in his immediate locality to become convinced of their force. We will not ask him to take notice of the marvelous success of those who have obtained independent fortunes and national celebrity by the liberal and *judicious* use of printer's ink. we only ask him to make a close and impartial examination of the causes of the success of the most prominent merchants in his own locality. We are convinced that any merchant or business man will find, on such examination, that one of the greatest, if not *the* greatest means which contributed to that success and reputation, was newspaper advertising, *liberal* and judicious.

SCIENTIFIC CONVERSAZIONE

The third annual conversazione of the Murchison Club was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, 7th inst. After prayer by Rev. D. Jaques, the President, Professor Bell, briefly alluded to the object of the Club, which were the cultivation of the several branches of Natural Science, and the diffusion of a knowledge of and taste for scientific pursuits among the members of our community, and to investigate the natural history, geology, &c., of our own district. Hitherto Belleville, in relation to the scientific world, had been isolated and unknown; but now that she is about to become a city, it behoves her to be more ambitious of taking a more prominent place in the annals of scientific progress. Up to the present time the work of the Club had been chiefly confined to the propagation of science, but there are now among its sixty members about a dozen earnest workers in several branches of research, and it is hoped that some original work may be done in the course of the ensuing season. The recent publication of a Naturalists' Directory by an enterprising firm in Salem, Massachusetts, has brought us into correspondence with our fellow-labourers over all the continent, and we have already received communications from as far west as Kansas, and as far south as Texas, which cannot fail to arouse our energies and excite our emulation.

The President then called upon the Rev. Mr. Burton, who gave a most eloquent and profound address upon the relation between religion and science, in which he reviewed in a masterly manner the pretensions of the Materialistic school of philosophers to explain the mysteries of Creation by the theory of evolution. As, however, time and space forbid us to do justice to this admirable production, we shall give a *resume* of the argument in a future issue.

The Hon. Lewis Wallbridge was next called upon, and gave a sketch of the geology of this district of Canada, enumerating the building stones, marls, and other useful minerals afforded by the Silurian strata which from the rock-basis of Belleville and of the County of Hastings as far as Hog Lake, where you may go in five minutes from the Silurian to the Laurentian or Granite region, in which are found iron, antimony, lead and gold. Of these iron is the most valuable, although the Speaker avowed his firm conviction of the richness of the gold-bearing veins if properly worked. The Hon. Gentleman spoke warmly of the values of the marbles and other building-stones to be found in North Hastings, and more particularly of the fine quality of a large bed of lithographic stone ; and finished with a warmly colored enumeration of the mineral wealth and resources of Canada, among which he humourously classed timber and fish !—at the conclusion of his address the gentleman was warmly applauded.

Rev. Dr. Jaques followed. He said he had been announced for an *impromptu* address, but in imitation of a celebrated American extempore orator he had prepared it before hand. He proceeded to show the inconsistency of the materialists, who ridicule the Christian's belief in the over-ruling providence of an invisible Creator, while they themselves are even more liable to a similar imputation since they believe in the existence of several immaterial and invisible forces, such as heat, electricity, magnetism, and gravitation, the existence of which they can only infer from certain observed phenomena. And if the existence of these forces may be logically deduced from their supposed effects, why may not the existence of a spiritual force be equally inferred from psychological phenomenar. The man of science must therefore be a man of faith, as well as the Christian man, for they must both have faith in the existence and operative power of invisible and impalpable agencies.

Prof. D. H. Wilkins exhibited and explained some experiments upon the differently colored flames produced by burning solutions of the salts of several metals in union with alcohol. The time taken up by the previous addresses prevented him from doing all he intended, but he alluded to that wonderful instrument the spectroscope, and the magnificent discoveries made by its means, proving that the sun and most of the heavenly bodies contain similar elements to those which compose the crust of the earth and its atmosphere.

The display of natural objects far surpassed in extent and variety those of the Club's previous conversaziones. It comprised stuffed quadrupeds and birds, including a magnificent beaver, two fine eagles, Labrador geese, two deers' heads with the horns inextricably locked together and other objects from the collection of Mr. A. Dulmage ; hawks, owls, &c., loaned by Mr. W. Johnson ; lynx, beaver and bittern by Mr. Geo. H. Haymes ; stuffed birds and rabbit by Mr. Jno. A. Phippen ; insects, Mr. J. D. Evans and Prof. Bell ; shells and Silurian fossils, Mr. W. R. Smith ; minerals, Mr. Evans and Albert College ; ferns, Prof. Macoun ; and many other objects of interest. The microscopes of Mr. D. Ackerill, Mr. Evans, Dr. Dorland, Mr. Wills, M. P. P., and Prof Bell were on hand with a sufficiency of beatuful and interesting slides.

The audience was far from numerous, and we regret to learn that the receipts will be very far from meeting the expenses which in getting up an entertainment of the kind are necessarily considerable, though largely reduced by the liberality of the Town Council, who kindly gave the free use of their large and comfortable hall on this, as on former similar occasions.

THE CARNIVAL.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the attendance at the carnival last night was rather limited ; yet the number of masqueraders was large, all things considered. We would again call attention to a departure from the rules of the club which prohibits those not in costume to appear on the rink before a stipulated hour. This rule should be enforced without fear or affection and should not be departed from The following is a list of those in costume :

A. W. Mason, Giant.
B. R. Riddell, Clown.
D. W. McDonald, Freemason.
Bert Diamond, Midshipman.
B F. Benjamin, Crusader.
Miss H. Scisson, Paddle your own Canoe.
Miss K. Scisson, Maid of Honor.
Miss R. Scisson, Fan.
Miss Brownlee, Valentine.
Miss Ellis, Newspaper (Intelligencer.)
B. Carscallen, The Mail Boy.
H. Hulme, Turkish Boy.
Charley Bowell, Eliza Sterch.
C. Putnam, Ring Clown.
William Perkins, Negro Boy.
Miss M. Smart, Folly.
Miss B. Young, Patchwork.
Harry Smart, Western Huntsman.
Walter Pretty, New York Swell.
L. Morton, Dolly Varden.
Miss A. Neilson, Norway Peasant.
R. Mulson, Bro. Jonathan.
E. G. O'Hare, Pochantas.
Miss O'Hare, Ne. No. Woo. Shea, Squaw.
Miss J. H. Neilson, Milk-maid.
G. W. Tickell, U.S. Army Lieutenant.
Miss Hattie Woolver, New York Belle.
Miss Starling, Spanish Lady.
Ida Starling, Red Riding Hood.
Lilly Starling, Indian Princess.
W. Clark, Breeches.

And a number of other characters not here given.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

FRIDAY, March 9.

DRUNK.

John Darcy, charged with being drunk, was dismissed.

THE CARTING BY-LAW.

James Brown, charged as above, was fined $5.00 and costs.

John Slaven and Michael Mahon had their cases laid over till Monday.

This and That.

- Vennor finds St. Patrick's Day to be within the bad weather circle of his predictions.

—John D. Lee, of Mountain Meadow massacre notoriety, has been sentenced to be hanged on the 23rd prox.

—The President will not convene an extra session of Congress for an earlier date than the 1st of June.

—The President declines to decide in regard to South Carolina, leaving the matter for the Cabinet's consideration.

—The bodies of the young men, John and Charles Deadman, who were drowned in the River Thames, near Delaware, on Tuesday, were recovered last evening.

—Mr. T. C. Patteson, of the "Mail" who has been in England for several months, was a passenger by the Caspian, which arrived at Halifax on Tuesday.

—A Toronto gentleman has invented a new method of launching a lifeboat, by which the boat may be safely launched in from ten to fifteen seconds by one man.

—The body of a missionary, a French priest named Reboil, who died suddenly up the Ottawa River, was yesterday drawn through the principal streets of Hull, seated in a chair. The streets were lined with thousands of people.

—Bishop Walsh, of London, is expected home from Rome by Easter. It is reported that His Lordship has been successful in securing funds for the erection of a grand cathedral in the following season.

—The New Orleans Republication State Committe unanimously passed a resolution calling upon Pinchback to resign the Presidency of the Committee and his membership of the National Republication Committee.

TIMELY CAUTION.

The following, which we find in the Hamilton *Spectator*, is none the less applicable to local matters just now for being poetically rendered. We might here remark, parenthetically, that everybody writes poetry in Hamilton :—

" Let the ratepayers all know
That to clean off the snow
Is their duty right straight,
Or some policeman bold
Will play a trick that's old
And introduce all offenders
To the Police Magistrate,

who, after hearing the evidence, his spectacles will elevate, and in his usual mild manner will announce the fate—one dollar and costs, to be paid forthwith."

--Prof. Swing says common sense is the best guardian angel a young woman can have. Under ordinary circumstances is as good as armor plating of the latest pattern.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 8.

Greenbacks buying at...	94½ to 94¾
" selling at...	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange ...	84½

Gold opened at 105¼ ; closed at 105¼

A common cough or cold should never be trifled with : often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Waters," a curative which has sustained its reputation for over twenty years. They are always efficacious and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1 ; Pills 25 cents a box.

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Mar. 9, 1877. 2i

LAST CALL.
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March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON,

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Halves, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
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Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
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built two miles distant from a village, that village would be utterly killed. If this by-law was passed it would add $27,000 to the railway debt of the township, which now amounted to about $60,000, and the people could not afford it. He had spoken to several about this by-law and they seemed to be unaware of the provisions contained in it, and though nothing had been done to mislead them, yet they were misled. It was not supposed by them that Madoc would be asked for more than $15,000. He referred to the bonus given by Peterboro', and said $150,000 was granted in consideration of the G. J. R. not getting the $75,000 voted for it. It is no wonder that Peterboro' voted a large sum for this scheme, as it was to receive the greatest benefits. His objections were, 1st, against the principle of payment contained in the by-law ; 2nd, on account of the road going two miles from the village ; and 3rd, because the railway debt of the township was now too large and the people could not afford it. He therefore felt it his duty to oppose this by-law.

Mr. Flint did not look on this matter in the light in which Mr. Wood viewed it. He spoke of Sir Hugh Allan's connection with this road and that of Mr. Wood with the B. & N. H. R., and argued that as Madoc had given a large sum for that road, which was a short one, if it was completed they would have to pay the money. It was his opinion when the scheme was first proposed that the sum asked for was too large, and he thought $50,000 sufficient. The question now is, are we to have a route which will open up the country and compete with the G. T. R.?—a line which that company should have adopted, for had they done so they would have avoided a great deal of the difficulties they now contend against. The west now demands another outlet, and if this road was built it would be a great benefit to the back country, as goods could be obtained there then just as readily and cheaply as they can now be obtained in the frontier towns, and thus a saving would be effected by the people. He remarked on the cost of teaming in bringing produce to the back country, and contended that it would be greatly reduced by the construction of the road. With regard to the petitions, he would say that those who signed them should be aware of their contents. He asked, would not the benefits to be derived be tantamount to the cost incurred in building this road through the county? If this road was built to Madoc, the supplies necessary for the people of the north would be sent from there; and he therefore argued that in four years after the road was built Madoc would be the gainer. With regard to the payments, he said no money should be paid unless the road was finished. It would have been better, in his opinion, to have left that clause out. The question is, shall we, as the representatives of the people, allow the people to pass upon it? Mr. F. here stated that the deputation would agree that no money be paid until the road be completed, and the road would go within half a mile of Madoc. From his knowledge of the country, he considered it morally impossible for the road to avoid going near Madoc and Bridgewater. He would like to see the matter go before the people, and he hoped the deputation would not b allowed to go away without the by-law getting a second reading and going before the people.

Council adjourned.

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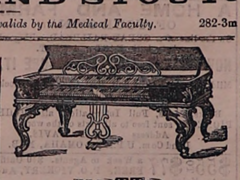

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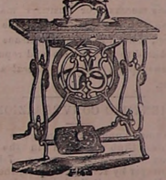

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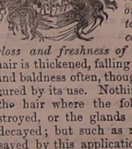

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Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,628 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself, and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.
(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
General Manager.
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In order to clear out our spring and summer stock and make room for our Fall Goods, we will sell at
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For two months, commencing on Saturday July 22nd, this is a good chance to buy
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Remember the Place
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Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
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BUY YOUR WIFE
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CLOTHES WRINGERS
IT WILL BE SURE TO PLEASE HE
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AS we have sold out our business to W. Minore, Esq., who will conduct the business in the old stand, we require that all the accounts due us must be paid within one week to Mr. Minore or they will be left in court for collection.
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BEST REFINED
COAL OIL
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Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.
All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered
At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
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A NEW THING.
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS.
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A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
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MR. WM. JOHNSTON
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Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.
Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
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MADE on honor of 1¼ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT
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Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.
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Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.
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☞ HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

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No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.
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CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
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PROVISIONS
AT
THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.
☞ Call at once for Bargains.
J. McGUIRE.

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Just received another large supply of
UNION
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P.S.—The trade supplied on Liberal Terms

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East end of the lower, Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
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Nothing is so destructive to health, and the disarrangement of the human system, as drinking Impure Water, It is one great cause of all diseases the human frame is liable to. The Jewell Filter will effectually purify Rain, River, Pond, or Canal Water, making the most IMPURE WATER WHOLESOME and SWEET.
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CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, LOSS OF MEMORY, UNIVERSAL LASSITUDE, PAIN IN THE BACK, DIMNESS OF VISION, PREMATURE OLD AGE, and many other diseases that lead to INSANITY or CONSUMPTION, and a PREMATURE GRAVE, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.
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Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
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R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
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(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
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ALL STYLES
—DONE—
Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously
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CALLED BY THE ANGELS.

The farmer's wife is sitting alone
In the dust of a winter's day,
While over the hills the shadows fall,
And over the meadows gray,
And the cares of many a busy hour
Steal fast from her heart away.

Her eyes have wandered though mist of tears
To the church-yard under the hill,
Where the snow, like the wings of a brooding dove.
Lies soft and pure and still,
And where her treasures, so long ago,
She laid at the Masters's will.

And ah! how oft, as the days go by,
She starts, as her listening ear
Has almost caught on the passing breeze
Voices so sweet and clear
"'Tis the angles calling!" she thinks. "Ah me
It is weary waiting here."

The farmer from his work, at last,
In the dust of a winter's day,
And he sits him down by his faithful wife,
And she parts his locks so gray,
And looks in his face with a loving smile
That years never steal away.

And back again as her dim eyes turn
To the hills where the shadows fall,
She thinks, "My treasures are lying there.
But he has not taken all,
Since one is waiting beside me still
Till the angels' voices call."

But the weeks are slow, and the aged two,
In the dusk of many a day,
Will watch the shadows come and go
Or'er the meadows cold and gray,
Ere they, at the Master's will may lie
Where their treasure are laid away.
Harper's Weekly.

MY AUNT'S SUMMER BOARDERS.

My aunt came down-stairs one morning greatly excited. "Louise, step here a momemt," she said.

I followed her into a small reception-room with some anxiety, for I knew by the pallor of her face, by the cap-strings untied, the absence of care in her toilet, that something unusual had recently happened.

"Louise, what am I to think?" she asked, as I seated myself beside her. "Miss Berry came to me last Thursday morning; let me see"—she referred, to her tablets—"yes, it was Thursday, and told me that she missed her gold neckless with the jet and gold cross. I said nothing to you about it, though it worried me very much. This morning she cannot find her diamond ring, though she is sure she put it in her jewel-box last night; and she says a costly lace handkerchief is also missing. What are we to think? Of course the servants could not get access to her room in the night. How could I suspect either Barbara or Hannah? I could as soon accuse you."

A chain and cross, a diamond ring, and a valuable lace handkerchief—the idea of such a loss nearly took my breath away. Miss Berry was one of my aunt's summer boarders. She was a Southern woman of good family, and had spent two summers with us. Her health being so delicate that she did not like to room by herself, she had hinted that another inmate, in whom we had confidence, would be agreeable to her. So when, in early June, a letter came to us, purporting to be from Dr. Russell, an old friend of my aunt, asking if we would accommodate his neice, aunty was very glad of the opportunity, and had our large, best room arranged for the occupancy of two.

Miss Berry was a quiet little woman of some twenty-six or seven years. She had been very pretty, but ill-health and disappointment in early life had given her a faded and sad expression. She was quite wealthy in her own right, and though not following the fashion to its full extent, she always looked very stylish and lady-like.

Miss Betty Willis the other boarder—neice of Dr. Russell, of whom she talked a great deal—was the exact opposite of Miss Berry. She was handsome, tall, dashing, and very brilliant. I had not been impressed in her favor, but Aunt Joe and Miss Berry both admired her. She brought with her a very elegant Saratoga trunk filled with an abundance of beautiful dresses.

I wondered more than once why this handsome young girl wished to board in so retired a country place. To be sure, it was one of the most beautiful locations in the State. There were mountain views, Lake views, and lovely stretches of variegated landscape. Aunt Joe was of a social, happy nature, and always had more or less young company. Still, I always thought it singular that Miss Betty did not join some party among her numerous friends, and spend her summer at a fashionable watering place. We two, aunt and I, talked the matter over, but came to no conclusion. It was not to be disputed that Miss Berry had lost her valuables, and she was a person to whom any loss was a serious one; yet she had promised my aunt to say nothing about it for a time.

"What were we to do? Our servants had been with us for years, one from her childhood, and we could not suspect either of them. There was no one else in the house save Miss Berry and Miss Betty, both of whom had become, seemingly, very much in love with each other, for they were seldom apart. Miss Berry always left the key with my aunt when the two rambled by themselves, but to-day she carried it with her, and I could see that my aunt felt very much hurt.

As soon as we had the opportunity we searched every part of the house where there was any possibility of finding the missing articles, but without success. Miss Berry, who was always dignified, seemed colder than ever to my aunt and myself, and the situation grew very uncomfortable for all.

In proportion as Miss Berry grew distant, however, Miss Betty became more affectionate especially toward me. One day when we were sitting alone in the parlor, I communicated the loss of the jewelry and handkerchief to her. For a moment the color retreated from her face. She glanced at me, a look of alarm in her large dark eyes.

"I wouldn't say anything, but do you know I have missed several articles, too," she said. "How could a thief possibly get into our rooms without waking us up?"

"You have lost something!" I exclaimed. "Was it anything valuable?"

"Not particularly so," she made reply; "an old-fashioned locket that had my mother's hair in it, and a handkerchief of fine lace. Oh, I don't mind the things much—still it's not very pleasant."

"I should say not," I answered, hotly "You must think you are in a nest of thieves. We never missed a pin before, and I should as soon think of stealing myself as of accusing our servants, the most honest creatures in the world!"

"You can't always tell," was her response, with a peculiar smile. "But pray don't worry about it; perhaps the things will all come back to light. Maybe there's a jackdaw about; you know they are great thieves. I dare say we will find all the missing articles. I am sorry for Miss Berry, though; she told me her ring was an heirloom, and very valuable."

So we continued under a cloud for several days. It was on a Thursday that we had just left the dinner-table, Miss Betty passing out of the room with me. We two had been sitting longer than the rest, she wittily giving her experience of boarding house she had stayed at.

Aunt had been gone some time, but as we left the threshold we both met her, pale as a ghost, and with a scared look on her face. Miss Betty paused and caught me by the arm. I said,—

"Why, aunt, what is the matter?"

She only shook her head and turned into a room at her right.

"The good woman has seen a ghost," said Miss Betty, with a strange laugh; but I noticed that she ran very hastily up the stairs; in fact, I might say rushed—and was soon out of sight. When she had gone my aunt looked out and beconed to me.

"My silver closet has been opened," she said, under her breath, "with a false key, for I found the lock uninjured."

"And has anything been taken?"

"I should think so! There were nearly a thousand dollars in gold and bank bills—just as your uncle left it to me."

"That can't be gone!" I said, my heart in my throat.

"Every cent of it, and the few ornaments I possessed—gold rings, John's gold-headed cane, and—"

"Oh, aunt!"

I lost my strength, and pale and trembling sank into a seat. We were surrounded by mystery. No one had left the house for weeks together. We had kept up a vigilant watch. We knew not who to suspect. This money was the little all, besides the house and property, that my aunt had, and in her old age she could ill afford to lose it. What should we do? I thought and thought until my brain fairly ached.

Suddenly I remembered the way in which Miss Betty rushed up stairs, and though I had then no suspicion of her, yet the fact kept recurring to me, and troubled me. That afternoon Miss Betty walked out by herself.

"I went to the post-office," she said, coming in just before supper.

"Did you get a letter?" asked Miss Berry.

"Yes, indeed"—and she held up a yellowish-looking missive—"and I am sorry to say it contains bad news," she added.

I sat just outside the hall where I could hear all that was said.

"Bad news? Dear me!" ejaculated Miss Berry, in her quiet way; "I hope I shall get no bad news to-day."

"Poor Uncle Russel is in great affliction, and sends for me. Mrs. Russell is very ill; I don't believe she can live if she has one of her spells; they are awful."

She did not see me as she came into the hall, but I saw her, and her face was absolutely deformed with the smile and strange look of triumph which changed her countenance. It almost said, "I have deceived the whole of you." From that moment I was afraid of the woman.

"I am so sorry to be obliged to leave to-morrow," she said, as we lingered at the supper-table.

Miss Berry's forehead grew dark.

"I'm sure I don't know what I shall do," she said, "I don't think the house is safe; as I am over my nervous headache I shall also get ready to go."

Said I to my aunt as soon as we two were together,—

"I don't believe that girl belongs to Dr. Russell's family;" and then I told her of my sudden suspicions, adding, "Now I have formed a plan which I think will at least set our minds at rest about her. Give me five dollars, and I will bring you home the news."

She gave me the money, and I threw on my hat. Miss Berry and Miss Betty were sitting on the veranda.

"Going out in the moonlight?" asked Miss Betty, and there was a curious light in her eyes—she seemed trying to read my face. Suddenly she sprang up. "I've half a mind to go with you," she said.

"Are you afraid of the measles?" I asked, growing desperate, "because I am going where they have them."

"Yes, I am," she said, hesitated, and sat down. "Pray don't come near me on your return," she added, laughing; but yet there was a constraint in her voice.

The telegraph operator was a friend of ours, and one of his children had been very sick with the measals. I was glad in my heart that I had that excuse.

It was seven o'clock when I reached the office. I knew Dr. Russell's address, and immediately telegraphed,—

"Your neice, Miss Betty Willis, tells us that Mrs. Russell is dangerously ill. Is that a fact?"

I waited at the office for an answer. It came within thirty minutes.

"No. I'll send a detective down early in the morning. I have no neice of that name. Detain the woman."

I went home with the massage. Miss Betty had gone to her room; Miss Berry was lamenting to my aunt that she was to be left alone. I felt strangely—trembled from head to foot—but was cautious enough to hold my tongue, not even telling my aunt more than part of the message.

I think I did not sleep at all that night. I felt a fear that Miss Betty might even now slip through our fingers. I was sure she suspected danger. Her trunk was packed the first thing in the morning. She wanted it sent to the station, but it was an hour before we could find a man to take it. I stood at the window, almost crying, as it was brought down to the lower hall. The next moment I saw a strange man, who I felt must be a detective, enter the house.

I can hardly tell what happened next. Miss Berry was in hysterics, and all the stolen goods were paraded on the parlor floor. Presently the house was cleared; Miss Betty had gone, and Miss Berry soon came to her senses.

Since then nothing can prevail upon my aunt to take summer boarders. Even Miss Berry has applied in vain.

—Mr. J. A. Mackenzie, formerly proprietor of the Brockville "Enterprise" has assumed the foremanship of the Prescot "Telegraph."

—The Rev. Mr. McColl, of Kingston, has accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church at Markham.

—Baldheaded men are so numerous in Chicago that an audience in that city is said to look, when viewed from above, like a cobble-stone pavement.

—The Greece Ministry has resigned in consequence of a vote of censure passed on it by the Chamber for granting illegal pensions. The King has summoned M. E. Delegeorgis to form a new Cabinet.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 10.

ELSEWHERE will be found an extract from the Ottawa correspondence of the New York *Herald*. The writer, Col. Defontaine, has been warmly complimented for his just and generous remarks on Canadian men and affairs.

IT is quite evident, from what has already transpired in the House, that the Ministry is determined to push business as rapidly as possible, and make the session as short as circumstances may warrant. The Opposition, on the other hand, have shown a Niagara Falls capacity for talk, and may somewhat disconcert the Government programme.

THE Montreal *Herald* of to-day gives a supplement of four pages, devoted entirely to an annual review of the trade and commerce of the City for the year 1876. As usual this compilation is of much interest to business men generally, and highly creditable to the enterprise of the *Herald* Publishing Co.

ACCORDING to the Inland Revenue Report, the people of British Columbia drink more spirituous liquors and use more tobacco, *per capita*, than their fellow citizens of any other part of the Dominion. No wonder Mr. Bunster contends that such luxuries are necessary for the proper development of that Province.

IT was supposed that when Senator Brown reached Ottawa he would be heard in defence of the Government, and would do something towards checking buncombe motions from honorable, grave, and reverend members of the Upper House. Instead of this being the case, however, he has signalized his legislative duties by fiercely attacking the Governtment Bill amending the Act respecting "offences against the person." One of his last public efforts in the Senate, in 1875, was to speak and vote against the Government on the Bill granting a Separate School system to the North-West Territories. Is not the Hon. George getting independent?

HONESTY THE BEST POLICY.

Human nature has not degenerated so low as some pessimists would have us believe. An instance in support of the optimist's view has just come to light in London, England. An American gentleman, accompanied by his wife, went into the Bank of England and received the proceeds of a cheque for $6,500 in notes and gold. The notes he placed in a pocket-book in the breast-pocket of his coat and put the gold in a leather bag. Subsequently he went to several establishments in the City and West End, and finally to the Langham Hotel, where he discovered the loss of his pocket-book. Meantime a coachman had found the pocket-book inside a carriage and had handed it to the manager, who, upon discovering the valuable contents, made known the circumstances. When we say that the pocket-book contained £6,300 in bank notes the honesty of the coachman may be better appreciated. He was handsomely rewarded by the owner.

MASTER AND SERVANT.

MR. BLAKE has a Bill before the House which deals with the relations between master and servant, but which is intended to leave the general question of contracts to be dealt with by the Provincial Legislatures. Certain specified breaches of contract are provided for and brought within the sphere of the criminal law. The cases made punishable by fine and imprisonment may be defined as follows: 1. Those in which the breach of contract may be attended with danger to human life, or may cause serious bodily injury, or expose valuable property to danger or injury. 2. Those in which the contract of service is with a company or contractor, the breach of which contract would tend to deprive the inhabitants of any city or town of their supply of gas or water. The third clause of the Bill, which is evidently intended to apply to such cases as the late strike on the Grand Trunk Railway, reads as follows:—

"Whosoever being under contract of service or otherwise with a railway company carrying Her Majesty's mails, or with a Government railway, wilfully and maliciously breaks any such contracts, knowing or having reason to believe that the probable consequences of his so doing, either alone or in combination with others, will be to prevent the running of any locomotive engines or freight or passenger trains on the railway. The penalty is a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, either with or without hard labor."

RETRENCHMENT, OR WHAT?

Sir John's sham motion, replete with the most unblushing hypocrisy and impudent deception, having been mercilessly overhauled by the Ministerial press, the *Mail* has thought it necessary to offer a few words in mitigation of the sentence. The organ tacitly admits that the amendment to Mr. Cartwright's tariff policy, which the Opposition leader puts on record, does not commit the party to any particular line of action, and may be regarded as buncombe. But it is not protection pure and simple that Sir John advocates, and such a thing as increased taxation he never dreams of. What he and his party aim at is a "readjustment of the tariff" (a very convenient phrase, by the way) so as to afford the largest possible encouragement to native industries. They also advocate the necessity for greater economy in the public expenditures. These are the principles embodied in that famous amendment, the organ tells us, but by what hidden process of ratiocination they may be discovered we are left to conjecture. The Conservative party does not desire to increase the financial burdens of the people in the least. Not they. "The times are not propitious for additional taxation," says the organ, and so say the Government and two-thirds of the people of Canada. This is just the kind of philosophy the Reform party has been teaching for several years. But what about that "National Policy"? and of what does it consist? The impression has been that a system of protection for home productions was the main, if not only, plank in the platform adopted. How in the name of common sense can such a system be applied to our national tariff without increasing taxation? The cutting down of expenditures is very commendable at all times, but something more definite than what the Opposition profess to favor is required to convert the country to their policy.

Editorial Notes.

GEO. FITCH, a lad 14 years old, was killed yesterday morning by falling down a hoist in Dredge's bookbindery, Toronto.

REV. MR. RAMSFORD has terminated his very successful revival services in St. James' Cathedral, Toronto. He has done a power of good.

MOLSON'S Bank, at Morrisburgh, was set on fire last Wednesday, and considerable damage was done to one end of the building.

A MAN named Barlin was killed on the Gatineau Thursday, by being thrown from a sleigh.

EXTENSIVE preparations are being made in Montreal for a grand celebration on St. Patrick's Day. The Irish Protestant Society has been invited to the dinner in the evening.

ANNOUNCED that the Hamilton *Spectator* has passed into the hands of Blackburn & Co. of the London *Free Press*, and that the two papers will, in future, be run conjointly.

RUMOR having gained credence that the Suspension Bridge at Niagara Falls was unsafe, Mr. Broughton, general manager of the G. W. R., writes to the press contradicting the statement.

IN Minnesota, it is said that hay is stocked at the purchaser's door at $2 per ton, and used as fuel. The fuel in this case would be certainly very cheap, but the value of labor must be at a very low ebb to make the business profitable to the farmer. In this country the labor would cost as much as the proceeds.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The press of Ontario comments favorably on the idea of using the proceeds of Crown Lands sales as capital instead of revenue.

—The Toronto *Mail* and Montreal *Gazette* copied the tubing slander from Senator Vidal's organ. We do not observe that they have copied the denial and refutation.

—The Toronto *Leader* says that when insinuations are made in Parliament that newspapers have been subsidized, the names of the corrupt journals should be asked and given, in order that the unoffending ones might not be suspected or be treated unjustly. The *Leader* does not wish to be classed with the *Mail*.

—The veterans of 1812 will not receive a largeer bulk sum than before, though each individual may get a greater share, in consequence of the natural decrease of the number of applicants. The Government grant is rather a recognition of services than a provision for support. Petitions have been received to enlarge the grant, but these are the days of economy.

THE GOVERNMENT MAJORITY.

AN APPEAL TO THE COUNTRY NOT NECESSARY YET.

The *Globe's* Ottawa telegram of last night says:—"The vote to-day appointing the Committee on the Northern Railway affairs afforded an approximate indication of the strength of parties in the House of Commons. The Conservatives put four men on their ticket, hoping probably that by some chance, through the absence of one or two Ministerialists, they might receive that number on the Committee of nine. The Ministerial ticket consisted of Messrs. Guthrie, DeVeber, Archibald, Casgrain, Killam, and Bertram. The Opposition, Messrs. Palmer, Bowell, McCarthy, and Blanchet. The vote stood as follows, each member voting for one committeeman;—Guthrie, 21; DeVeber, 20; Archibald, 20; Casgrain, 20; Killam, 19; Bertram, 20; Palmer, 19; Bowell, 18; McCarthy, 19; Blanchet, 17. The last named gentleman, therefore, was the one rejected. The numbers consequently stand:—Ministerialist votes, 120; Opposition votes, 73; Speaker, 1; vacant seat, 1; absentees, 11. Total, 206. Of the absentees, either paired or unpaired, eight were supporters of the Government and three of the Opposition, the total number showing, therefore, as follows:— Majority for the Government on the vote, 47; absent, 8; total 56. But there are two or three of those who voted for the minority who would certainly have taken a different course on a test question of confidence, so that 58 to 60 may be regarded as the real Government majority after the Government had been three and a half years in power and got half way through its fourth session."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT

FRIDAY, March 9th.

MR. MACKENZIE moved, "That the House do name the Committee ordered on the fifth of March last to enquire into the matters connected with the Northern Railroad and Northern Extension Railroad."—Carried.

The vote of the members was taken and the following Committee chosen:—Messrs Guthrie, Archibald, Bertram, DeVeber, Casgrain, Killam, McCarty, Palmer, and Bowell.

Mr. MACKENZIE moved, "That it is desirable that any witnesses which are to be examined by the said Committees be examined under oath.—Carried.

Mr. VAIL referred to a private letter that was written by himself to the member for Victoria, and which has been published in the *Mail*. He asked that the original of this letter should be laid on the table in order that hon. members may themselves have the opportunity of examining it and of seeing whether it corresponds with the printed copy.

Mr. CAMPBELL said when he asked leave of the hon. Minister of Militia to refer to a certain paragraph in the letter he only read as little as he possibly could for the purpose of substantiating the statements he had made.

Mr. BLAKE said he was sure that on a moment's consideration the hon. member for Victoria would recall that statement. It was impossible that the letter could have got into the hands of reporters or persons connected with the press save by its being feloniously abstracted from its place of keeping, which he did not believe possible, or by the hon. member having given it to some one who has betrayed the trust, or by his having given it to the reporters to publish. The hon. gentleman was responsible for the letter being published in this disgraceful way. He was sure the hon. member, on reflection, would place the letter before the House, or if he did not, he thought the House would see that it was produced.

Mr. CAMPBELL said he would say candidly that the spelling of the published letter was not according to the original.

Mr. BLAIN then resumed the debate on the tariff resolutions, which was continued after recess and until the House adjourned at 12:15 p. m.

THE CANADIAN CAPITAL.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Correspondence, N. Y. Herald.

Landing from the cars at this season of the year, when the earth is carpeted with snow and rivers are turned into roads, your first sensation is that you have been surrounded by a tribe of Esquimaux and are immediately to be spirited away to some Polar hiding place. They turn out, however, to be only the inevitable hackmen, covered from head to foot with heavy furs. Nor are they offensively obtrusive. As you drive hotelward you observe that every body of both sexes and all ages is similarly encased, but in styles that correspond with the wealth or poverty of the wearer. Strong shoes, sometimes moccasins or boots of undressed skin, show the good sense of the people in protecting their feet, while the gentler sex, in a manner at once artless and refreshing, exhibit their disdain of fashionable outlines by allowing their skirts to hang as near a perpendicular as the texture of the garments will permit. At the hotel, where an opportunity is afforded of seeing the gentlemen disrobed, you are amazed at the magnificent physiques of the greater proportion of them—the towering, broad-shouldered frames and massive figures that seem to have been built to conquer the rugged soil. As a class the Canadian men are

TYPES OF MANLY BEAUTY.

Their House of Parliament presents in this respect a picture that has not its duplicate in any Legislature in the United States. Listen to them and you will find that they are a nation of baritones, with such deep-chested, honest voices, that it is not a matter for wonder that there is such stirring music in the ring of an English cheer. Socially, too, their warmth does not belie the greatness of their bodies. With a proper letter of credentials, few hours will be allowed to pass before the stranger will be placed *en rapport* with the best gentleman in the land, be billeted at the clubs and everywhere received with a welcome of the genuineness of which he cannot feel a doubt. Unbroken courtesy, the perfection of good breeding, cleanliness in speech—I have not heard an oath, an obscene remark, or an angry expression during my stay—these are some of the characteristics of the Canadian thoroughbreds. And at the head of them all stands that exemplar and representative of Canadian worth, who unites in his person all the graces of social and intellectual life, and to whom the people of Ottawa are indebted for much of their winter and summer pleasures—Lord Dufferin. Again, the people are honest. In a population of about 30,000 the journals of the city rarely have occasion to record a theft. Hotel rooms are unlocked, coats and packages are left lying around loose, and even umbrellas are sacred. Can virtue be more supreme? Most of the gentlemen smoke pipes, even on the street, although few chew tobacco, and a cuspador or spittoon is a rarity. As general thing,

THE LADIES

do not appear as handsome in physique as the other sex, being flat chested and narrow-shouldered, albeit their ruddy faces tell of excellent health. Like the gentlemen they are great pedestrians, knocking off four or five miles a day for exercise, and apparently are never more ready for a tramp than when the snow is filling the air with its feathery crystals; but then they are prepared for it with a sense and thoroughness that would put our Yankee damsels to the blush. See them in a sleigh dashing through the streets, and there are times when under their cosy fur hats, which are like those of the men, you can scarcely detect their gender. Notwithstanding the extreme cold of the climate the houses, being built solidly, are kept warm. The windows are double and in the hotel the premises are heated by steam. Before leaving this branch of the subject it is worth recording here that such was Canada's sympathy with the North during the late war that before its close 23,000 of her sons enlisted in the Northern armies, and laid down their lives in defence of the flag of the Union

—The Custom House at Brantford was entered by burglars on Wednesday night, the safe door broken open, and about $30 stolen. Entrance was obtained through a back window.

New Advertisements.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name, style, and firm of HURST & MILLS, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Robert Mills, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

Belleville, 5th March, 1877.

J. S HURST,
ROBERT MILLS.

WITNESS—S. F. GILLUM 298 li

WHEN IT COMES

(Spring we refer to)

Your want will be 'FELT'

We have prepared for all such wants!

Having just opened a magnificent assortment of newest London and New York Shapes in Round Crowned Stiff Hats, manufactured for us.

WM. JOHNSON & CO.

NEW OPERA HOUSE!

SECOND GRAND CONCERT,

—WITH—

Entire Change of Programme.

REDUCTION IN PRICES.

Saturday. March 10.

By special request, the prices of admission for THIS EVENING, in order to enable everybody to have the privilege of hearing the celebrated

BARNABEE Concert Company!

Have been reduced to the following scale:

Boxes	$4 00
Orchestra Chairs, Parquette and Dress Circle	50c
Pit and Gallery	25c

☞ Tickets for sale at Mr. Harrison's Music Store, where plan of Hall can be seen.

Doors open at 7 p.m. Concert will commence at 8.

March 10th, 1877.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

Return of the original and now famous

Shaughraun Comp'y

From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

E. A. McDOWELL..............MANAGER.

The Finest Dramatic Company in the Dominion!

30 First-Class Artists. 30

ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES!

WITH

NEW SCENERY!
FASHIONABLE TOILETS!
ELEGANT APPOINTMENTS!

The Orchestra will be under the direction of the celebrated Solo-Violinist,

PROF. F. A. MULLEN.

MONDAY, MARCH 12TH,

Grand opening of the Dramatic Season.

LESTER WALLACK'S GREAT MILITARY DRAMA,

ROSEDALE!

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5; Upper $4.

Orchestra and Parquette Chairs	75c
Dress Circle	50c
Gallery	25c
Pit	25c

Box plan now opened at J. C. Reynolds' tationery.

METROPOLITAN HALL.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 12TH.

ONE NIGHT ONLY,

TOM ALLEN

Champion Pugulist of the World, and Company.

Champion Bells and Cups on Exhibition at Spangenburg's Jewelery Store.

Admission 25c. Doors open at half past seven; commence at 8 o'clock.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

TENDERS

RECEIVED by the undersigned up to WEDNESDAY the 14th MARCH, (noon) for the construction and completion of "Building," as per plans and specifications at the office of John Forin, Esq., Hotel St;

FRED. S. HAINES,
338 Front St

LAKESIDE LIBRARY AT REYNOLDS'.

FRESH SUPPLY of the following popular editions of the above Cheap Library:

Joshua Haggard's Daughter, by Miss Braddon.
Going to the Bad, by Edmund Yates.
The Log of the Fortuna, by Capt. A. F. Lindley
For the King, by Chas. Gibbon.
Halves, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, "
Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
The Secret of the Island, "
Tour of the World in 80 Days, "
Abandoned, "

BELFORD'S NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Kate Danton. The Family Doom.
Madcap Violet. Ten Years of My Life, &c
Belford's Magazine for March,

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office

Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 1, 1877.

IMPORTANT SALE! BY AUCTION.

MILLS, LUMBER AND LIMITS.

UNDER powers of sale contained in certain mortgages made by ELI C. CLARKE, the younger, BENJAMIN F. BAKER, ELSIE B. PAGE, and WILLIAM JONES, to THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA, and the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, the undermentioned property will be offered for sale and sold,

AT THE COURT HOUSE

IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,

At the hour of Twelve O'Clock, noon, on

Monday the 12th day of March,

A. D. 1877, namely, the Mill known as the

"STAR" MILL,

situate on Baker's Island,

in the Bay of Quinte, together with the said Island, which is described thus:—A small island in the Bay of Quinte, in front of lot number (8) eight, in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, containing (13) thirteen acres, more or less.

Also the Mill known as the

"EAGLE" MILL,

situate in the County of Prince Edward, on the Bay of Quinte, and opposite the Town of Belleville, together with the lands connected therewith, and which are particularly described in one of said mortgages, and containing (25) twenty-five acres, more or less,

ALSO, THE

WHARVES, TOOLS, APPLIANCES AND MACHINERY

In and connected with the Mills respectively.

Also, the following Lumber situate at the said Mills:

About 11,500,000 feet of Lumber of all kinds, including Mill-Run Stocks, Sidings, Strips, Culls, &c.

350,000 *Pieces 4 feet Pickets.*

1,250,000 *Pieces 4 feet Lath, and*

About 60 Logs in "Eagle" Mill Boom.

The above quantities are given, more or less

ALSO, IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF FARADAY,

Lot 32, in the 4th Concession.
" 33, " 4th "
" 28, " 8th "
" 29, " 8th "

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF MARMORA

Lot 31, in the 4th Concession.

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF LAKE,

The east half of Lot 13, in the 4th Concession and the east half of lot 12, in the 4th "

ALSO,

THE FOLLOWING LICENSES:

In the Township of	Cardiff,	50½ Sq'e Miles
" "	Faraday,	35¼ "
" "	Methuen,	28½ "
" "	Chandos,	21¼ "
" "	Lake,	11¼ "
" "	Marmora,	3½ "
" "	Herschel,	¾ "

The Mills, Lumber, &c., can be inspected by intending purchasers on application to ROBERT THOMPSON, Esq., Manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Belleville.

THE SALE WILL BE FOR CASH.

No bid will be accepted unless, if required by the Auctioneer or Solicitor of the Vendors, the bidder shall deposit with the said Solicitor a cheque upon one of the chartered Banks doing business in Belleville, marked good, for the sum of $30,000, which shall be forfeited if the bidder fails to complete the purchase according to the conditions of sale.

The Vendors will only sell their interest in the property under said mortgages, and they will only produce any deeds or papers in their possession relating to the property, and shall not be required to do more.

Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to title, &c., at their own expense before the sale. They will also satisfy themselves as to quantity and quality of the chattel property before purchasing.

The further and full terms of sale will be made known at the sale.

Inventories may be inspected and information as to the property, &c., may be had by applying to said ROBERT THOMSON, Esquire, or to BELL & BELL, Barristers, Belleville,

There will be an upset price.

Dated this Eighth day of January, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
Vendors' Solicitor.

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POSTPONEMENT.

THE above sale is hereby postponed until SATURDAY the SEVENTEENTH INSTANT, at the same hour and place.

Dated this Sixth day of March, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
Vendor's Solicitor.

BANKRUPT STOCK FOR SALE.

THE Stock of F. M. CLARKE, Insolvent, will not be sold on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, as advertised, but sale will take place on

Tuesday the 13th day of March

At Half-Past Two, P.M.,

BY AUCTION, En Bloc,

but if no satisfactory offer is made en bloc, then immediately in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms Liberal and made known at time of sale.

The stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory,	$2625.82
Shop Fixtures	229.80
Book Debts, about	1300.00

M. B. ROBLIN,
Assignee.

Belleville, March 5th, 1877. td

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

IN the Matter of ROBERT WADSWORTH of the Town of Belleville,
AN INSOLVENT.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the estate of the above-named Insolvent, I will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at my office, Number One, Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on MONDAY the THIRTIETH day of APRIL, A.D. 1877, at Twelve O'Clock, noon, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named Insolvent, and of myself as Assignee of his estate of, in and to the lands and premises hereinafter described; that is to say, all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario being composed of Lot Number Three on the West side of Octavia Street, in the said Town of Belleville, according to a plan of part of Lot Two in the First Concession of the Township of Thurlow, made for the late Edmund Murney by J. J. Haslett, P.L.S., and registered in the Registry Office for the County of Hastings on the sixth day of August, A.D. 1851. There is a large two storey Brick House on the premises.

The said property is subject to three Mortgages for Five Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, Four Hundred Dollars, and Four Hundred Dollars respectively, and interest.

TERMS CASH.

For further particulars apply to
J. PARKER THOMAS,
Assignee.

Dated at Belleville the 15th February, A D 1877. 1ilevsat

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

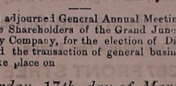
To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf



Grand Junction Railway Co.

THE adjourned General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Grand Junction Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business, will take place on

Saturday, 17th day of March,

1877, at the Company's Office, in the Town of Belleville, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the By-Law passed at the last meeting to that effect.

D. B. ROBERTSON,
Sec'y G. J. Ry. Co.

Belleville, Feb. 26, 1877. 2aw2w

NOTICE TO MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS, at very moderate prices. Call and examine for yourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER,
Stove and Tin Shop.

GEORGE E. SMALL

PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,

BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 3, '77. tf

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS,
INFANTS' ROBES,
CLOAKS, APRONS.
&c, &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson.

Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hall

GOOD GOODS CHEAP.

—o—

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

—o—

CLEARING SALE.

—o—

MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St,

BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 7th, 1877.

GO TO A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Pannel Door	$1.00
Blinds, per foot	20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

Arrived THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,

CHEAP

—AT—

W. R. M'RAE & CO'S

Wholesale Dealers.

BELLEVILLE CHURCH DIRECTORY

EPISCOPALIAN.

CONGREGATION OF ST. THOMAS' CHURCH.

Morning service in Town Hall at 11 a.m. Evening Service in Town Hall, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S

Afternoon Service on Sundays at 4½ p. m. Evening Service on Tuesday at 7½ p. m.
Rev. J. W. Burke, B. A., Rector.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST BELLEVILLE.

Service—Sunday 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Service Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Communion, 3rd Sunday in the month.
Rev. R. S. Forneri, B. A., Incumbent.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, STATION ROAD.

Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. Jones, Incumbent.

ROMAN CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.

Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m.; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. James Farrelly, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.

Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30, Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.

Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. Harper, Rev. S. P. Rose, Ministers.

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.

Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free
Rev. T. H. Cullen, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.

Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.

Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m., and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Rev. B. Lane, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning Service at 11 a. m.; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. John Burton, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.

Services—Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.
Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. McLean, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Hotel Street.

Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. Cossar, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.

Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Coleman Street, West Belleville.

Morning service at 11 o'clock; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ...	6.50 a m
2 Express,..	6:10 p m
.. ..	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
3 Express,..	12.22 a m
Mixed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at..	2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 10.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The School Board.—A regular meeting of the Board of Education takes place on Tuesday evening next at the usual hour.

Lumbering.—The recent fall of snow has materially assisted lumbering operations, as now the timber which has been cut can be hauled out to the creeks.

Another.—Prof. Randolph has gone into the medium business, and is now giving spiritualistic expositions. We have had a surfeit of such frauds.

He's Coming—The inspiring strains of the hand organ can now be heard in the streets of Brighton. The organist is generally considered a harbinger of spring.

Going Away.—Mr. C. E. Pierce has determined to return to Hamilton, and has disposed of his business to Messrs. Bartman & Stencil.

Historical Society.—Regular meeting this evening in the College Chapel at 7 p. m. Literary entertainment by the Candidate Bachelors. Business—Notices to be taken up and Committee of Supply.

Fires.—The people of Kingston are agitating for an investigation into the recent fires in that city, as some are inclined to think that the origin of many are not accidental.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Once More.—Cool Burgess is on the road once more with a troupe of burnt cork artists. He is moving west and is probabl making another "farwell tour" prior to his departure to Europe."

Well, Well.—A Toronto butcher has been arrested for selling horse flesh as beef. The most remarkable part of the busines is that the sale was made by one butcher to another. There are evidently tricks in all trades.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

Sent For Trial.—Edward Cronk of Brighton who appropriated to his own use a horse, buggy, harness and robe belonging to other parties has been sent to Cobourg for trial. He'll probably get a free ride on the cars to Kingston.

The Market.—There was a fair attendance at the market to-day, and a considerable quantity of produce was disposed of.

The Streets.—The town to-day presented a business-like appearance, as the streets were well filled with sleighs and cutters.

Rosedale.—This beautiful play will be produced at the Opera House on Monday night by the Shaughraun Company. During the play a detachment of the 15th Batt. will appear on the stage.

The Wires.—Twenty-two breaks were found in the telegraph wires of the Montreal Company between this place and Trenton. The repairers now have plenty of work on hand.

The Theatre.—Rev. Prof. Mackerras lectured against the theatre in Kingston on Thursday night. And the people of that place will show they appreciate the Prof's. lecture by patronizing the first theatrical company that visits the place.

Evangelistic.—Two female evangelists are holding revival meetings in Peterboro, and are meeting with gratifying success. A mania for wearing pink ribbon has been developed among the young men of that town.

Blew out the Gas.—A newly-wedded couple from Manitoba registered at a Toronto hotel one night recently, and on retiring the groom blew out the gas. They found themselves on awakening in the morning nearly asphyxiated.

Cannibalistic.—Some time ago we chronicled the exploit of a cannibal in Canifton he having bit another man's nose in a fight. The same individual visited the village of Norwood one day recently and bit another man's ear. The brute is evidently oblivious to the knowledge of the existence of the Leoten Season.

Correction.—In the abstract statement of the accounts of the Township of Thurlow, appears an item which states "Paid Co. of Hastings balance on account 1876, $3780." This should read, Paid Co. of Hastings on on account of levy of Taxes of 1876, $5780.00.

Horrible.—A girl who resides in Dunnville recently threw some nitric acid in her lover's face because she could'nt press him to marry her. That girl should be sent out to the Mormons and compelled to live with them. She'd make it lively for some of the Latter Day Saints.

The Ice Storm.—The ice storm of Thursday night has been generally injurious in its effects, as besides interrupting telegraph communication, it has been the means of destroying the limbs of fruit trees. Walking has been made very difficult, and the average pedestrian has a troublesome task to move about.

Blighted Hopes.—A girl in Quebec sued a young man for breach of promise and got a verdict in her favor. The sum awarded was $40 but as it was not a large enough balm for her wounded affections she therefore got the case set down for review. The Court held that all breach of promise of marriage cases, were rediculous and vexatious and would not award higher damages. The jilted get but little sympathy down there.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Saturday, March 10.

MIS-APPROPRIATION.

Patrick Tansey was charged with appropriating $5.00, the property of John Dorsey. The case was laid over till Monday.

ASSAULT.

The case of Thomas Eccles vs. Walter Fanning was dismissed without costs.

A SCHOOL ROW.

David Forrester charged Wm. McLaren, George Taylor, Andrew Denike and George Sherman with in errupting his school. Judgment will be given next Saturday.

THE OPERA HOUSE.

The new opera house was dedicated last evening by the Barnabee Concert Company, of Boston, who gave a treat in the musical line such as seldom falls to the lot of our citizens to enjoy. The attendance was not as large as was anticipated, the state of the streets and the weather generally interfering to lessen the number of the audience. The entertainment was opened with the singing of one verse of the National Anthem, after which the regular programme was proceeded with. Mrs. Carter, Miss Holbrook, Mr. Collins and Mr. Barnabee rendered a number of quartettes in an excellent manner, the blending of their voices being harmonious, and their vocalism perfect. Mr. Emerson gave two cornet solos in which he evinced marked ability as a musician, and showed himself master of his instrument. Mrs. Carter was in excellent voice, and rendered her contributions to the programme in a manner that called forth the applause of all present. She possesses a voice of rare compass and power, and is one of the best singers who has yet appeared here. Miss Holbrook's vocalization met with marked favor, and she was rewarded with repeated applause. Mr. Collins' selection was delivered in a very creditable manner, and was well received. Of Mr. Barnabee's singing too much cannot be said. His efforts were very liberally applauded, a reward they fully merited. He is very popular here, and his humorous impersonations never fail to bring down the house.

We would suggest the advisability of relieving the stage of the carpet, as it interferes with the effect of the singing, and serves to injure it.

All things considered, the affair was a decided success, and Mr. Harwell is to be congratulated on the brilliant opening of his cosy little theatre. No pains have been spared by him in making the house as comfortable and attractive as possible, and we therefore trust that his venture will meet with a fitting return. The Company appear again to-night with an entire change of programme, and as the entertainment they offer cannot be surpassed, and, further, as the price of admission has been reduced, we hope a large house will be present.

A FAIR DECISION.

Brother Gardner was yesterday called into a house on Grove street to render a decision in the case of a colored man who had jumped his board bill, the landlady desiring know to if she could sue the deserter without his being present.

"What is de objeck of a suit?" asked the philosopher.

"So as to secure a debt," she replied.

"After s'curing de debt, den what?"

"Den collect it."

"How kin you collect it if de man hasn't got nuffin'?"

"Dat's what I called you in fur," she continued. "I want a 'cision on dat pint."

"De case am—de case am," he mused, as he rubbed head. "de case am, kin you collect anything from a cullu'd man who hasn't got nuffin'? Tell you what I'd do, Misses Brown. I'd write for that nigger to come back, make a bargain to board him fur six weeks, an' den slap an execution on to him an' so so de contract."

"But how would dat git what he owes me now?" she asked.

"It wouldn't get the lost money, ob course, but you see it would keep him from boardin' on you six weeks mo'. Dat's de 'cision, Mrs. Brown, an' now I'll take one o' dem pies an' be goin' home to dinner."—*Detroit Free Press*

FROM OTTAWA.

Special to the Ontario.]

Ottawa, March 10.

As Lieut.-Col. Skinner was leaving the Parliament Buildings yesterday, he fell and sustained a fracture of his leg immediately above the ankle. He was conveyed to an apartment in the Senate wing of the building, and medical aid summoned. He is doing well.

The divorce cases in which Chas. Holliwell, of the City of Quebec, and Norman Adria Bates, of Mitchell, Perth County, are respondents, were up before the Senate last night. Proof of the service of papers on the parties concerned having been made, each case was referred to a separate committee, Senator Dickey being appointed Chairman of each committee.

The Northern Railway Committee meets on Monday, when the investigation will be continued.

The Sub-Committee of the Private Bills Committee considered the Bill to incorporate the Dominion Grange, and decided to report it with amendments.

The Committee on the Administration of Justice in Richelieu District met this morning and continued its investigation.

The Committee on Banking and Commerce met at 11 o'clock this morning, Hon. Mr. Holton presiding. The Bill to incorporate the Union Marine Insurance Company of Halifax was considered, amended, and reported.

OUR PUZZLES

All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed "Puzzle Editor," Box 336, Belleville. The author's name must accompany all contributions.

ENIGMA.

I dwell beneath the deep blue sea
On plains and mountain heights abound,
On war's dread wings I swiftly flee
And scatter death and pain around.
But why should come such sudden woe
From one whose pace is always slow?
A house of most artistic style
I form for creatures low and vile;
Wher'eer they make their tortuous track,
I'm carried always on their back.
From torrid zone to ice-bound pole,
These, and much more describe my whole.
But when you want to change my fate,
My crocked head decapitate;
A mansion once so light and grand
Becomes a pit for spirits dammed.
Excise my dual tail, and then no doubt
We have what no true man can live without.
But to enhance this curious riddle,
Remaining leave a portion of my middle.
For that small piece, a lass, dear soul!
Would give much more than for the whole.
Cut off two-fifths I'm longer than
Before the cutting off began.
This paradox you will not doubt,
When you have truly found me out.
Quiz.

Note.—The above is from the pen of a well-known official and literary gentleman of Belleville.

NUMERICAL ENIGMA.

I am composed of 11 letters,
My 1, 3, 5, 7, is wretched.
My 6, 8, 9, is a breach.
My 10, 5, 1, is a leap.
My 7, 8, 4, is an animal.
My 4, 2, 11, is a personal pronoun.
My 6, 7, 8, 11, is a color.
My 8, 7, 4, is a trade.
My 2, 8, 7, 1, is a musical instrument,
My 9, 3, 4, is a cooking utensil.
My 7, 8, 6, is a fragment.
My whole is an art, well known to all.
Priscilla Way.

ANAGRAM.

I pined for a mess.
S. O. Polson.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

Priscilla Way.—Card received. All solutions correct. Puzzles, as a rule, should be original. Anagram defective. Enigma appears above.

Phoebe A Wildman.—Solutions correct.

Bleecker Ward.—Post card received. Writing too indistinct to be read.

Willie L. Smith (Stirling).—Solutions all correct except that of Puzzle No. 1.

T. H. Stoddart (Cobourg).—Solutions correct.

Peake.—Many thanks for your valuable contribution, which shall have attention at our earliest convenience.

W. Kay.—Your Enigma is thankfully received. It may possibly appear next week.

Hattie Donnely.—We must decline your French conundrums, as we confine ourselves strictly to the English language.

John Bell (Frankford).—Solutions correct.

Paddy Malone (Consecon).—Thanks for your generous offer. It will afford us pleasure to insert any of your contributions that are really good. Solutions to puzzle No. 1 and 1st arithmetical question incorrect. The rest O. K.

Julana Ferguson.—Solutions correct. Question not suitable for our department. Try again.

Mary F. Allison (Marysville).—See reply to Willie Smith. Your puzzle is marked for insertion in a future issue.

Quiz.—Many thanks for your cleverly constructed enigma. We hope you will send us a few more such gems.

A. Davis.—Thanks for enigma. It will appear next week.

*** Answers to puzzles crowded out of this issue.

—The funeral of the Hon. James Cochran, of Halifax, yesterday, was attended by the members of the Government, Legislature, Irish Societies, and a large number of citizens.

—Some village lots have been sold in Canington at advanced prices, and the village is hopeful in consequence.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, March 8.

Greenbacks buying at...	94¼ to 94¾
" selling at.............. ...	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver..........................	15
Sterling exchange	84¼

Gold opened at 105¼; closed at 105¼.

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DEATH AT THE BRIDAL ALTAR.

From the Raleigh, N. C. News, March 1.

At Thomasville, N. C., on the evening of February 22, a number of guests had assembled at the residence of Mrs Forney, widow of the late Thomas Forney, to celebrate her marriage with William B. Thomas, son of the late J. B. Thomas. The appointed hour had come, joyous tones of laughter had ceased, while the numerous friends took their places around to await with eager interest the approach of the two who were soon to take the solemn vows that would bind their hearts together "for weal or woe." Rev. J. W. Lewis, of the North Carolina Conference, took his stand, opened the discipline and began to read:—"Dearly beloved, we are." When he reached the second paragraph, which begins thus—"Into which holy estate these two persons present come now to be joined," as the word "into" fell from his lips, the figure of the bride suddenly began to drop at first upon her knees, then silently falling backward upon the floor in a lifeless swoon. So great was the consternation of all present that they seemed rooted spellbound to the floor, and for a moment no one was able to render any assistance. Then there was a rush—she was borne away from the room—restoratives administered, everything that kindness or human heart could suggest was done to bring her back to life, but all in vain. The edict had gone forth, and in a few minutes she who was to have been a happy, joyous bride, exulting in the congratulations of friends, and participating in the festivities of the occasion was the bride of Death.

ELOPEMENT IN HAMILTON.

A YOUNG GIRL OF "SWEET SIXTEEN" IN LOVE.

For some time the parents of a very pretty and respectable girl, just sixteen years of age, residing in the west end of the city, have been very solicitous about her welfare, owing to a well founded supposition that a young man of not very regular habits visited the house as a neighbor, oftener than what was considered discreet. The young lady in question was fully developed and appeared to be twenty rather than sixteen, and intelligent in proportion. On Sunday the parents, whose names we withhold out of respect for their social position, suspected something unusual in the conduct of their daughter, and kept a close watch upon her movements, and the closer she was watched the stronger were their suspicions confirmed that there was something going on that was not altogether satisfactory. However, they took all precautionary measures that evening to prevent the carrying out of any scheme the daughter had in view, by nailing the sash of her bedroom window before she retired, and quietly locking the door after she was supposed to be asleep. Yesterday morning she was equal to the occasion, and in an artful manner told her mother that she had quarreled with "Dick," and hoped that he would never visit the house again; that she found out that he was dissipated, etc. Upon this information the parents at once stayed surveillance. Shortly before noon Mrs —— sent Amy to Lees jewellery store to get a broach repaired. She was not absent over half an hour before she returned and told her "ma" that she met Dick on King street and refused to make friends with him. This *ruse* only confirmed the mother in the notion that all danger has passed. Subsequent events, however, proved differently, which were ascertained. When she left home she met her Dick on the corner of King and Bay streets, and there made arrangements for an elopement. Between five and six o'clock the young lady made some excuse to go out to purchase some spools of silk to finish some embroidery she had in hand. Not returning for a long time the parents began to feel weary and at once went in search of their darling daughter. Upon visiting her bed-room the mother found a note on her dressing-ing table which contained the following:

"DEAR MA,—Forgive me for my rash act. I love Dick dearly, and I know that he loves me in return. I leave my home with him this evening to become his wife, and I hope to be happy with him. Again I ask your forgiveness for what I have done.

"Your affectionate daughter,

"AMY."

Strict enquiries have been made as to what route the fugitives have taken but up to the hour of going to press no trace of them has been found. What makes the circumstances more interesting is the fact that the young lady is possessed of $8,000 in her own right, but is under the control of her father until she arrives at the age of eighteen. The grief of the parents can better be imagined by those who have "hopefuls" under their control than described.—*Spectator.*

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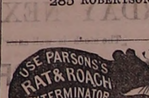

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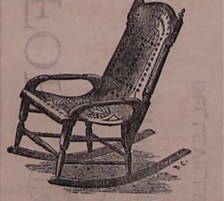

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Grand Cheap Sale

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A P FERRELL, Proprietor.
Belleville, May 23rd, 1876.

B. SNUGGS,

AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION AGENT. Consignments of every description solicited. Out-door sales solicited, and it will be my aim and ambition to please those who may favour me with their sales. OFFICE—Corner Lower Bridge, Belleville. d-198

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—TO—

DOMINION HOUSE YARD,

Where he will keep nothing but first-class rigs of every description.
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FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31st DECEMBER, 1875.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,828 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself, and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.
(Signed) GEO J PYKE, General Manager.
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Local Boards established throughout the Dominion.
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Apply
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BOOTS AND SHOES,

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In order to clear out our spring and summer stock and make room for our Fall Goods, we will sell at

WHOLESALE PRICES!

For two months, commencing on Saturday July 22nd, this is a good chance to buy

Cheap Boots and Shoes.

Remember the Place

No. 367 FRONT STREET,

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
July 20th, 1876.

FOR A

CHRISTMAS

PRESENT

BUY YOUR WIFE

ONE OF THE

EUREKA

CLOTHES WRINGERS

IT WILL BE SURE TO PLEASE HE

JOHN LEWIS & CO.

NOTICE.

AS we have sold out our business to W. Minore, Esq., who will conduct the business in the old stand, we require that all the accounts due us must be paid within one week to Mr. Minore or they will be left in court for collection.
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COAL OIL

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25 Cts.

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Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.
All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered

At Lowest Reasonable Rates.

And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.
WEDDING CAKES,
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JELLIES, &c., &c.

TURKEYS BONED, DRESSED AND JELLIED
TONGUES JELLIED AND ORNAMENTED.
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Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c. &c

MADE TO ORDER.

A NEW THING.

COCOA-NUT MACAROONS.

BREAD.

A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
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MR. WM. JOHNSTON

IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst
Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.
Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
DOWNEY & POPE.
Feb. 10th, 1877.

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IMPERIAL MEASURES

OF

Best Make and Material,

—AND—

STOVES

OF ALL KINDS,

CHEAPER FOR CASH!

Than Anywhere else,

AT CHOWN'S

STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
361 Front St., Belleville.

☞ HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

DOORS! DOORS!

MADE on honor of 1½ inch stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT

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STEAM PLANING MILL,

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Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.

PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.

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Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!

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Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.
Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be

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THOMAS McRAE
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SELF RAISING

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.

No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

PANCAKES.—Take as much Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour as is required for the occasion—add gradually, cold water or milk to make a soft batter. Then BAKE AT ONCE.

—ALSO—

SELF RAISING PASTRY FLOUR,
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A supply just received.

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GROCER AND WINE MERCHANT.
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FOR CASH ONLY.

CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,

GROCERIES

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AT

THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.

☞ Call at once for Bargains.
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Sailing from New York as follows:

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JOHN G. DALE, Agent, 15 Broadway, New York
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Feb 12, 1876 4mos

REMOVAL.

FOR want of room, Wm. Dickens & Sons will remove to

BULL'S NEW BLOCK.

On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the

Baking and Confectionery Line.

Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
WM DICKENS & SONS

THE GREAT

ENGLISH REMEDY,

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Before Taking. After Taking

SPECIFIC MEDICINE

CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, LOSS OF MEMORY, UNIVERSAL LASSITUDE, PAIN IN THE BACK, DIMNESS OF VISION, PREMATURE OLD AGE, and many other diseases that lead to INSANITY OR CONSUMPTION, and a PREMATURE GRAVE, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.
The Specific Medicine is the result of a long study and many years of experience in treating those special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.
The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent by mail on receipt of the money by addressing
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Sold in Belleville by L. W. Yeomans & Co., A. L. Geen, Clark & Co. and by all Druggists everywhere. 262,d48t&w11t

COAL! COAL! COAL!

FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.
This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.
Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.
1st. It is well known, having been established over five years.
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3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.
N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.
I. J. LOCKWOOD.
Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

FRESH FISH!

FRESH OYSTERS!

ROSS & DAVIES

Have received and offer for sale

FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

THE CELEBRATED

DIAMOND BRAND

OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.

ROSS & DAVIES,

Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

CITY BOOK BINDERY.

BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.

ALL STYLES

—DONE—

Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously

AT THIS OFFICE.

JAMES J. LANDY,
MANAGER.

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MABRLE WORKS,

J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has

REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS

To Condon's Block,

East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of

MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
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and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.

SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,

always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station. Pinnacle Street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

ALL KINDS OF FRAMES

MADE TO ORDER,

By an Experienced Workman,

AT WALLACE'S

Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.

WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.
D. J. WALLACE.

Having used Parsons & Co.'s Cockroach and Rat EXTERMINATOR, I would cheerfully recommend it to the public, as it has entirely rid my house of cockroaches, while all other preparations had not the least effect.
JONAS BARTLETT, 1 Broadway, New York.

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RECEIVED THIS DAY

BLACK and COLOURED,
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WILL BE OFFERED AT

HALF PRICE

So as to Clear them out at once.

☞ ALSO, OTHER JOB RIBBONS. ☜

JOHN COURTENAY,

No. 351 FRONT STREET,

FISH! FISH!!

FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
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JUST RECEIVED.

GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
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Feb. 12th, 1877.

T. C. TILLINGHAST

Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW

SCOTCH TWEEDS,

WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,

WORSTED COATINGS,

SPRING OVERCOATINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY

GIVE ME A CALL.

April 22nd, 1876.

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B. SNUGGS',

FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,

Every Kind of Fish in Season,

From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.

Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.

Received this day—SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS
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Fish and Poultry Dealer,
Market Square.
April 18th, 1876

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Splendid Paper at 6c. a

Call soon and get a good assortment.

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BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON, 1y
Feb. 27, 1877.

Christmas Goods.

500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,

TO BE SOLD AT COST

Within the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

JOHN TEMPLETON

FRONT STREET.
WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

SECOND SESSION.

THURSDAY, March 8, 1877.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Council met at two o'clock.

The debate was resumed on the railway by-law.

Mr. Flint said the members of the deputation were willing to reduce the sum asked for. He considered that they should have an opportunity of placing the by-law before the people. The by-law would now be reduced to $50,000, and he thought it only fair play that the by-law should be referred to the committee, so as to receive a second reading.

Mr. Wood said the petitions presented have a meaning. He had spoken to the deputation before the by-law was presented, and they would not make an alteration in it; now, however, they would not object to a change. The people in his township were not aware of the contents of the petitions. It would be unjust to the township for the ratepayers to pay the sum proposed. He regretted to oppose this scheme, as he considered the system of grouping as immoral and wrong. The promoters of this scheme should go into the townships and hold meetings and find out what the people would be willing to give.

Mr. Gordon said the ratepayers in the northern part of his township were in favor of it, but as the by-law remains as it is, he did not feel inclined to vote for it.

Mr. Pearce was in favor of allowing the by-law to go to the people, as the company deposit the money necessary for the passage of the by-law. The people of Marmora would, he was sure, give an almost unanimous vote in favor of the project.

Mr. Ashley said he did not feel interested in the by-law. He would vote with the majority of the representatives of the interested municipalities.

Mr. Wilmot said if the members of the south part of the County were compelled to vote, he would oppose the submission of the by-law.

Mr. Robinson would like to see the road built, and would like to support it; but he knew that the ratepayers in his township were opposed to it.

Mr. Gunter said it would be wise to withdraw the present by-law and make certain changes in it. He was in favor of the road, but he did not want a debt saddled on his township which the people were unable to bear.

Mr. Haggerty would oppose the by-law, as the ratepayers in his township were opposed to it. He did not think it right to force people to aid a project they did not approve of, as would be done in this case.

Mr. Robinson would feel inclined to favor the by-law if it was submitted to the whole township.

Mr. Flint said the construction of this road would benefit the county ten times more than the B. & N. H. R. If we can't have this and other roads, we cannot expect our back country to prosper.

Mr. Wood said the company should go to the various municipalities and obtain bonuses from them. Public meetings should be called, and the matter ventilated. He averred that the petition from Huntington contained the names of a number of men who could not write, and some who had to be coaxed into signing it.

Mr. Dumble was again heard. He said no underhand means had been used in obtaining signatures to the petition. If the company were willing to reduce the amount asked, he could not see why an objection should be raised. He was willing that such changes would be made that would please all. In the Peterborough by-law it was stipulated that $1,000,000 should be obtained in bonuses before the by-law would be considered effective. He would reduce the amount to $55,000, and if the by-law was submitted to the people they could vote on the quertion calmly and considerately. He trusted the Council would go into committee and change the by-law.

Mr. Wood said, the question is, what is to be done. Let Madoc speak for itself, and the people of that township could say how much they would give and how they would give it. He was not opposed to this railway and never had been. He disapproved of grouping the townships. He knew, as a matter of fact, that it was only after a great deal of difficulty that Major Boulton obtained 20 signatures to his petition. This county he would state had given a bonus, not to a party of Americans, but to assist in developing the resources of the County.

Mr. Ashley approved of the remarks of Mr. Wood.

Mr. Flint said had the road to the north gone along the valley of the Moira instead of as it did, the water power of the river would have been developed, and the villages improved.

The motion to go into committee on this by-law was put and lost.

Mr. Flint called for the yeas and nays.

YEAS—Flint, Vankleek, Pearce, Aylesworth.—4

NAYS.—Wood, Ashley, Weese, Gunter, Kavanagh, Anderson, Currie, Wilmot, Rose, Haggarty, Robinson, Gordon, Murphy, McKim, Young, Jeffs, Craig and Grass.—19.

Mr. Ashley again brought up his motion for experimental fences. He contended the cost would not be $50 and they would not be paid for till after the June session.

Mr. Anderson was confident the wire fences would not be a success and the high fences would be blown down.

Mr. Wood preferred awaiting a report from the Superintendent before action was taken.

Messrs. Flint and Rose favored the motion.

Mr. Vankleek moved seconded by Mr. Gunter that the Superintendent be instructed to ascertain for what amount 26 feet of land can be bought in the localities where drifts occur and report in September.

The motions were embodied and passed.

The Committee on Ways and Means resumed.

Mr. Kavanagh moved that $100 be granted the municipality of Dungannon and Faraday for school purposes. He said only one teacher was employed there, and he taught in two schools each of which was kept open six months. Were the grant made the schools could be kept open nine months each.

Mr. Wood said he did not know a better way in which to dispose of money.

Mr. Aylesworth seconded the motion, which was passed.

Mr. Anderson moved, seconded by Mr. Currie that the Council decide who shall pay expenses in connection with the burial of the child in Tyendinaga.

The account was ordered to be paid; also that of Mr. Brentnell.

Committee rose and reported.—Adopted.

Council adjourned.

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The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 12

As we predicted, Mrs. Wood, the Detroit *Free Press* correspondent, has been transferred to the upper press gallery, in the House of Commons, where she is less conspicuous, and less annoying to the gentlemen below.

SIR JOHN and Dr. Tupper never attend the meetings of the Public Accounts Committee, though members. The growling is left to Mr. Bowell and Mr. Plumb, who, in the popular if not the literal sense of the term, may be called "senior wranglers."

DR. BROWN has pronounced the fractured ankle of Col. Skinner so severe that he will not be able to walk for twelve months, the joint being badly injured. Every one at the Capital regrets the accident, as the Col. is deservedly popular.

MR. RYAN, member for Marquette, gave an interesting statement the other day, in the House, concerning the wood supply of Manitoba. He pointed out the necessity for carefully husbanding what is now available, as the scarcity of fuel of all kinds make it a subject of much interest to present and prospective settlers.

MR. BOWELL has asked for information regarding an item of $648, paid for literary services to Mr. Alexander Somerville, the "Whistler at the Plow." The Premier answers that it was for articles written for the British press, and under arrangements made some eight years ago. The answer was satisfactory, more especially when the time of contract was mentioned.

DURING a heated debate on Friday, growing out of an attack by Sir John and Dr. Tupper on Mr. Burpee, whom they attempted to convict of falsehood, the uproar for a few minutes was even greater than on the previous Monday. Mr. Blake, in defending the accused, indulged in a sweeping sneer at the correctness of the press and Hansard reports, which was considered undeserved and not creditable to him as a public man. The honorable gentleman, who is known to be highly conscientious, does not relish the idea of being held responsible for words and ideas that he never uttered or defended. On the other hand, it is quite impossible for the reporters to be infallible.

THE Dominion Grange Bill has been carefully considered and completely remodelled in committee. Objections were taken to the fact that the Bill, as originally draughted, would enable several as were farmers to incorporate themselves and carry on what business they pleased without being responsible, individually or corporately, to anybody, and without their being possessed of any capital or other requirements expected at the hands of ordinary business men. While it was not probable that farmers would take advantage of this loose legislation, there might be others who would do so. The object, therefore, of remodelling the Bill was to put the matter in a proper shape.

HAVING exhausted their resources so far as more recent charges are concerned, and not finding themselves much benefitted, the Tories have once more taken up the prohibition question and Mr. Mackenzie's connection therewith. They arraign him for insincerity of profession simply because he does not make prohibition a Government measure, and sneer at his want of back-bone in not daring to carry out when in power what was advocated in Opposition. They know, and have acknowledged, that public opinion is not sufficiently advanced to warrant any such step being taken, and that the inevitable result of the movement would be the defeat of the Ministry. Their solicitude, therefore, for the success of the temperance cause can be easily gauged, and the honesty of such a course properly appreciated. The Premier is a more consistent supporter of the temperance movement than any member of the Opposition in the House of Commons.

HEAR, hear! The chief Opposition organ just whispers in the ears of "our friends down east" that "public opinion in the west is coming to a very practical stage in the coal controversy." Exactly. What next? Why, protectionists have been debating among themselves "whether there should be a duty on anthracite coal, *that being something which Nova Scotia does not produce.*" There we have it. The organ says, in effect, that this announcement may not be exactly in accordance with preconcerted ideas by the present Opposition, but "free traders are welcome to make the most they can out of the difference of opinion acknowledged to exist on this point." Protectionists in the west "are coming down to business." They have been talking wildly heretofore and making a good deal of noise about a National Policy, but it was all for a political purpose. Now, they are getting in real earnest, and do not wish to be laughed at. The Bluenoses will govern themselves accordingly. *Quod bene notandum.*

THE *Telegram* is out with fresh cruelties practiced in the Central Prison, and wants further enquiry into the charges.

FALSEHOOD AND DECEPTION.

A few days ago, a letter purporting to have been written by the Minister of Militia to Mr. Campbell, the member for Victoria, N. S., was published in the *Mail*. There was nothing remarkable about the letter unless it were the orthography, which should have satisfied the most ardent advocate of "a reform in spelling." On Friday Mr. Vail brought the matter before the House as a question of privilege, and asked that the original might be laid on the table. This action was for the purpose of allowing honorable members to have an opportunity of examining the letter, and of ascertaining whether the copy published is a *fac simile* in every respect of the original. It came out during the debate that the professed copy was first published in the Halifax *Herald*, a paper whose special mission seems to be to misrepresent and malign the Minister of Militia, and whose editor has been sent to Ottawa for that purpose. The letter was marked "private and confidential," and Mr. Campbell has placed himself in an unenviable position by allowing it to get into the hands of others and to be used in the way that it has been. Mr. Blake administered a severe rebuke to the member from Victoria for his breach of faith as a gentleman, and held him responsible for the disgraceful manner in which the letter had been published. He demanded the production of the letter and a statement whether the copy published corresponded exactly with the original. Mr. Campbell confessed that the orthography was not as represented in the papers. Nearly every Conservative paper that we have seen has given the garbled letter a conspicuous place in its columns, and it now remains to be seen how many will be honorable enough to give the explanations. Certainly Mr. Campbell has not increased his reputation as a prominent member of the "Gentlemen's Party" by this transaction.

Editorial Notes.

MR. RIGHT, of Watford, shipped 28 horses to England last Saturday, and 18 were shipped by another party.

THE tariff debate will not likely be concluded before next Thursday or Friday. Mr. Mills, Mr. Cartwright and Dr. Tupper have yet to speak.

MR. SMART, late Postmaster of Port Hope, now under indictment for defalcation and felonous assault on Mr. Wilson, will probably be cashiered as Colonel of the East Durham Rifles.

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TWENTY-FOUR candidates presented themselves at the examination of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario for licenses to practice dentistry in Ontario. Twelve passed successfully.

AN exchange says: In Newfoundland there is not a snake, toad, frog or reptile of any sort; not a squirrel, not a porcupine, moose or mink. The Arctic hare is found in Newfoundland, but not in Cape Breton nor in Nova Scotia, and yet the island is full of bogs and swamps.

WILLIAM MCMURRAY, inspector, Chief Factor of the Hudson Bay Company service for the Northern district, and next senior officer to the Chief Commissioner, died suddenly on Wednesday by choking while at supper in Winnipeg.

A RETURN to the House of the quantity of old rails on hand, and in possession of the Government, shows the total quantity to be 3,230 tons. Available for use on branch lines, 1,457 tons; quantity useless, except for scrap, 1,773 tons.

DURING a destructive fire at St. John, [illegible]

ERAL CASES OF NEW PRINTS,
All Best Colors.

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GEO. RITCHIE & CO.,
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We have again to call your attention to the numerous IMITATIONS of the

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EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

TEXT-BOOKS.

To the Editor of ONTARIO.

SIR.—Having displayed sufficient "popular ignorance" to convert my friend "Ignis," who not only dares not reply but by his taciturnity acknowledges his "blunders" and accepts what I have advanced, I will proceed to a somewhat critical examination of some of our text books. First, let us take the readers. Of these tablets and first books are admirably adapted to the purpose, and so is the Second Book with the exception of a few selections which like some letters lately published contain a good many words with but a moiety of sense. The Third Book is perhaps the best of the series, comprising many excellent exercises in the different styles of reading suited to the age and advancement of the pupil therein; but even it requires the expunction of several pieces, among which I would mention "Boots and his Brothers," "The Abenaqui's Story" &c., and some historic incidents in the latter part of the book, while "The Vision of Mirza" if not a Fourth Book piece altogether, is certainly too difficult for its position in this reader. Excepting some political excerpts and a few pieces of prose, I have no hesitation in condemning the Fourth Book as totally unfitted to occupy any place as a reader in our schools. I claim that the main objects of a reader are to furnish the pupil with exercises adapted to cultivate the different powers of the voice in the art of elocution and to create in him a love for reading. A glance at the book in question will show that instead of its containing many such exercises, it is largely composed of extracts from history, which may furnish a knowledge of that subject if the teacher has read all the works from which they are taken, and has the time to narrate all the circumstances connected therewith, which he certainly cannot do without losing sight of the fact that he is teaching reading, not history. Besides the best excitations in reading always contain some useful knowledge which is more than can be said of the mass of those in this book. I have little fault to find with the Fifth Book, though I think the last three books of the series should contain the mechanical rules of elocution adapted to each. The text books on reading are by far the most important as they must be placed in the hands of the pupils. Of the authorized books on other subjects it matters little so long as the information contained in them is reliable, and the rules and definitions simple and correct, for the teacher who permits them to usurp his place in the class-room deserves not the name, and the sooner he abandons the profession the better for the community. Especially is this the case with arithmetic, and the prescribed work on this subject is replete with practical examples for the assistance of the teacher, through which medium they should be presented to the learner.

With the sentiments contained in the last letter of "Ignis" I am in entire accord, and admire the genius that selected a subject which the most ignorant pedagogue can dilate upon at any length from bitter experience. Raise our salaries by all means if you expect our profession to take its proper stand amongst others less noble in themselves, and do credit to a system of education unsurpassed in the whole universe.

Yours, &c.,
AGUA.

INTIMIDATION.

Rev. Mr. Bray, of Montreal, has rendered himself obnoxious to a certain class of the community by lecturing against the Church of Rome. Recently he received a threatening letter with the usual illustrations at the head, of which the following is a copy:

"MR. BRAY,

If you dare to preach against the Holy Church of Rom again you will be shot. How dare you have the cheek to stand up and blaspheme the True Church, you base hipocrite may the curse of the Saints fall upon you and may you be mained for life. If you dare preach against the only true Church again after all the warning you have received you shall be shot like McGee, &c., &c.

AN UPHOLDER OF THE
THE CHURCH OF MARY."

March 6th, 1877.

A reward is offered for the detection of the writer, and it is hoped the desired result may follow. It is not unlikely but that the letter is a fraud, manufactured by some young bloods, whose only object was to create a temporary sensation. If so, the society upon whom it reflects should desire to see the matter exposed.

HAYES' CABINET.

THE SENATE CONFIRMS THE APPOINTMENTS.

On Saturday the United States Senate confirmed the appointments to President Hayes' Cabinet, and to-day each member, excepting Senator Sherman who qualified previously, will take the necessary oath of office. Public meetings throughout the South have been held, and resolutions of confidence in the Administration unanimously adopted. From present appearances the election of Mr. Hayes to the Presidency will prove a blessing to the Republic. An era of reconciliation and national prosperity seems to open out, and a wise, honest administration of public affairs will undoubtedly produce the desired result.

FUN IN THE HOUSE.

When Dr. Orton was wearying the House Friday evening, Mr. Mackenzie got a fair hit at him and his twaddle. It happened that Mr. Cheval, who sits on a back Ministerial bench, began playing a Jew's harp, while Mr. Snider began dancing a horn pipe on the floor behind him. This extraordinary exhibition set the house and galleries in a roar; whereupon Mr. Snider disappeared, and Mr. Cheval popped his head under his desk. Dr. Orton stopped, and Sir John rose and indignantly called the Speaker's attention to the interruption by a member playing a Jew's harp; whereupon Mr. Mackenzie retorted by saying it seemed to him that a Jew's harp was being played on both sides of the House. Laughter greeted this sally at the expense of Dr. Orton. [illegible]

Specialties.

—Keep the leeward side of the street or wear blue-glass goggles, for the protection of your eyes.

—The woman who faints at the thought of being kissed is not fit to go through a railroad tunnel.

—An exchange says that a brimstone tint is a fashionable color for spring clothing. It is said to be very effective in making matches.

—Barnum won't have "the greatest show on earth" this season. He will content himself with 'An Unparalleled Aggregation'.

—It is estimated that the number of ladies who cannot pass a mirror without looking into it averages about twelve to every dozen.

—Muratio said poured on the wound made by the bite of a dog may prevent hydrophobia, but the best way is to shoot the dog before it bites.

—Two ladies were recently conversing on the qualities and demerits of their own fair sex. Said one, with a twinkle in her beautiful blue eyes, "I have never known but two women who were really perfect." "Who was the other?" asked her companion, with a smile on her fine thin lip.

A CANADIAN SPORT.—A foot race took place at San Francisco, Cal., early this month between James Harris, of Woodstock, Ont., known as the Cleveland Boy, and Robert Johnston, of Stockton Cal., for $2,000 and the championship of the Pacific coast. The course was 200 yards. Harris was the favorite before the start at $100 to $60 and won the race, the time being 21¾ seconds. Good for Canadian muscle.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

Return of the original and now famous

Shaughraun Comp'y

From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

E. A. McDOWELL.....MANAGER.

The Finest Dramatic Company in the Dominion!

30 First-Class Artists. 30

ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES!

WITH

NEW SCENERY!
FASHIONABLE TOILETS!
ELEGANT APPOINTMENTS!

The Orchestra will be under the direction of the celebrated Solo-Violinist,

PROF. F. A. MULLEN.

MONDAY, MARCH 12TH,

Grand opening of the Dramatic Season.

LESTER WALLACK'S GREAT MILITARY DRAMA,

ROSEDALE!

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5; Upper $4.
Orchestra and Parquette Chairs.....75c
Dress Circle.....50c
Gallery.....25c
Pit.....25c

Box plan now opened at J. C. Reynolds' Tatlonery.

METROPOLITAN HALL.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 12TH.
ONE NIGHT ONLY,

TOM ALLEN

Champion Pugilist of the World, and Company.
Champion Belts and Cups on Exhibition at Spangenberg's Jewelary Store.
Admission 25c. Doors open at half past seven; commence at 8 o'clock.

ELEPHANT
CLOTHING STORE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here, and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
March 12, 1877. 311 Front St.

LOST.

AT about 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, March 10, between Purdy's Hardware Store and Linklater's Tin Store, $23 in CASH. Any party returning the same, or giving information that will lead to its recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

FRED. GUNTHER,
Birrell's Axe Factory.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to

FRIDAY, the 16th MARCH

for the furnishing of SEATS and DESKS for the Separate School House, West Belleville. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES McGUIRE,
Chairman of Supplies.
March 12, 1877. 5i

TO LET.

A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, Stable, Out-Buildings, &c., all in good repair. Also large Garden, situated two and a half miles from Belleville, next lot to Cemetery.

Apply to JACOB HICKS.
Belleville, March 12, 1877. d&wlw

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

TENDERS

RECEIVED by the undersigned up to WEDNESDAY the 14th MARCH, (noon) for the construction and completion of "Building," as per plans and specifications at the office of John Forin, Esq., Hotel St.

FRED. S. HAINES,
338 Front St.

IMPORTANT SALE!
BY AUCTION.

MILLS, LUMBER
AND LIMITS.

UNDER powers of sale contained in certain mortgages made by ELI C. CLARKE, the younger, BENJAMIN F. BAKER, ELSIE B. PAGE, and WILLIAM JONES, to THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA, and the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, the undermentioned property will be offered for sale and sold,

AT THE COURT HOUSE

IN THE TOWN OF BELLEVILLE,

At the hour of Twelve O'Clock, noon, on

Monday the 12th day of March,

A. D. 1877, namely, the Mill known as the

"STAR" MILL,

situate on Baker's Island,

in the Bay of Quinte, together with the said Island, which is described thus:—A small island in the Bay of Quinte, in front of lot number (8) eight, in the First Concession of the Township of Sidney, containing (13) thirteen acres, more or less.

Also the Mill known as the

"EAGLE" MILL,

situate in the County of Prince Edward, on the Bay of Quinte, and opposite the Town of Belleville, together with the lands connected therewith, and which are particularly described in one of said mortgages, and containing (25) twenty-five acres, more or less,

ALSO, THE

WHARVES, TOOLS, APPLIANCES AND MACHINERY

In and connected with the Mills respectively.

Also, the following Lumber situate at the said Mills:

About 11,500,000 feet of Lumber of all kinds, including Mill Run Stocks, Sidings, Strips, Culls, &c.

250,000 Pieces 4 feet Pickets.

1,250,000 Pieces 4 feet Lath, and

About 50 Logs in "Eagle" Mill Boom.

The above quantities are given, more or less

ALSO, IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF FARADAY,

Lot 22, in the 4th Concession.
" 23, " 4th "
" 28, " 8th "
" 29, " 8th "

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF MARMORA

Lot 31, in the 4th Concession.

Also, in the

TOWNSHIP OF LAKE,

The east half of Lot 13, in the 4th Concession and the east half of lot 12, in the 4th "

ALSO,

THE FOLLOWING LICENSES:

In the Township of Cardiff, 50¼ Sq'e Miles
" " Faraday, 35¾ "
" " Methuen, 28¾ "
" " Chandos, 21¼ "
" " Lake, 11¼ "
" " Marmora, 3¼ "
" " Herschel, ¼ "

The Mills, Lumber, &c., can be inspected by intending purchasers on application to ROBERT THOMPSON, Esq., Manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Belleville.

THE SALE WILL BE FOR CASH.

No bid will be accepted unless, if required by the Auctioneer or Solicitor of the Vendors, the bidder shall deposit with the said Solicitor a cheque upon one of the chartered Banks doing business in Belleville, marked good, for the sum of $30,000, which shall be forfeited if the bidder fails to complete the purchase according to the conditions of sale.

The Vendors will only sell their interest in the property under said mortgages, and they will only produce any deeds or papers in their possession relating to the property, and shall not be required to do more.

Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to title, &c., at their own expense before the sale. They will also satisfy themselves as to quantity and quality of the chattel property before purchasing.

The further and full terms of sale will be made known at the sale.

Inventories may be inspected and information as to the property, &c., may be had by applying to said ROBERT THOMSON, Esquire, or to BELL & BELL, Barristers, Belleville.

There will be an upset price.

Dated this Eighth day of January, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
d11,w8t Vendors' Solicitor.

POSTPONEMENT.

THE above sale is hereby postponed until SATURDAY the SEVENTEENTH INSTANT, at the same hour and place.

Dated this Sixth day of March, 1877.

JOHN BELL,
Vendor's Solicitor.

BANKRUPT STOCK
FOR SALE.

THE Stock of F. M. CLARKE, Insolvent, will not be sold on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, as advertised, but sale will take place on

Tuesday the 13th day of March

At Half-Past Two, P.M.,

BY AUCTION, En Bloc.

but if no satisfactory offer is made en bloc, then immediately in parcels to suit purchasers.

Terms Liberal and made known at time of sale.

The stock consists of

Boots and Shoes, per Inventory,.....$2625.82
Shop Fixtures.....229.80
Book Debts, about.....1300.00

M. B. ROBLIN,
Belleville, March 5th, 1877. Assignee.

WHEN IT COMES
(Spring we refer to)
Your want will be 'FELT'

We have prepared for all such wants!

Having just opened a magnificent assortment of newest London and New York Shapes in Round Crowned Stiff Hats, manufactured for us.

WM. JOHNSON & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf

Grand Junction Railway Co.

THE adjourned General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Grand Junction Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business, will take place on

Saturday, 17th day of March,

1877, at the Company's Office, in the Town of Belleville, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the By-Law passed at the last meeting to that effect.

D. B. ROBERTSON,
Sec'y G. J. Ry. Co.
Belleville, Feb. 28, 1877. 2aw2w

NOTICE
TO
MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand
SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS,
4 very moderate prices.
a Call and examine for yourselves.
THOS. LINKLATER,
Stove and Tin Shop.

GEORGE E. SMALL

PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,

BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 2, 77. tf

LAKESIDE LIBRARY
AT REYNOLDS'.

FRESH SUPPLY of the following popular editions of the above Cheap Library:

Joshua Haggard's Daughter, by Miss Braddon.
Going to the Bad, by Edmund Yates.
The Log of the Fortuna, by Capt. A. F. Lindley
For the King, by Chas. Gibbon.
Halves, by James Payn.
Cast Up by the Sea, by Sir S. W. Baker.
Dropped from the Clouds, by Jules Verne.
20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, "
Round the Moon, "
The Mysterious Island, "
The Secret of the Island, "
Tour of the World in 80 Days, "
Abandoned, "

BELFORD'S NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Kate Danton. The Family Doom.
Madcap Violet. Ten Years of My Life, &c
Belford's Magazine for March.

J. C. REYNOLDS,
3 doors West Post Office
Agent for Great Western Railway and all Conveyancing.
March 1, 1877.

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, INFANTS' ROBES, CLOAKS, APRONS, &c., &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson,
Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hall

GOOD GOODS
CHEAP.
GREAT REDUCTION!
IN PRICES.
CLEARING SALE.
MAKING READY
FOR
NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,
No 319 Front St.,
BELLEVILLE, Ont.
Feb. 7th, 1877.

GO TO
A. N. PRINGLE'S
FOR
SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Panuel Door.....$1.00
Blinds, per foot.....20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.
Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.
WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.
Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

Arrived
THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour.

CHEAP
—AT—
W. R. M'RAE & CO'S

Wholesale Dealers.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6:10 p m
4 .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
xed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 12.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

SPRING ASSIZES.—The Spring Assizes open in the Court House here tomorrow.

PERSONAL.—Bishop Carman will lecture in the M. E. Church, Brockville, to-morrow evening.

COMFORTING.—There is a comfort in the fact that the price of coal oil keeps down. For such a favor all should be thankful.

THE COUNTY ROADS.—The roads throughout the county are now in capital condition—in fact better than they have been since the fall.

INFORMATION WANTED.—James Atkins of Picton, wants to know the whereabouts of his brother William, a mariner. William, be brotherly and write to James.

ALL RIGHT AGAIN.—The Montreal Telegraph Co. have repaired the breaks in their wires, caused by the late storm, and are at work as usual again.

ARRIVAL.—The S. S. Moravian, from Liverpool, on the 1st, arrived at Halifax at 5 p. m. yesterday with 17 cabin and 49 steerage passengers.

ARRIVALS.—The "Moravian," from Liverpool, arrived at Halifax at 2:30 p. m. yesterday. The "Sardinian," from Portland, arrived at 2:20 this morning

LIVERY BUSINESS.—Livery business is now good and will probably continue so as long as the present sleighing lasts. The proprietors are therefore joyous and happy.

COUNTERFEITS.—Counterfeit coin is in circulation in Ottawa. Several "gallery gods" paid their way into the theatre on Friday night with spurious coin.

A REMEDY.—The Brockville *Recorder* says the prompt use of ice in cases of diptheria is, generally speaking a specific. The disease has already made its appearance in that town.

SUSPENDED FROM OFFICE.—Police Officer McCoy was suspended from the force on Saturday afternoon by Chief McKinnon. His case will be inquired into this afternoon by the Police Committee.

NEW FIRM.—As will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, Mr. C. E. Pierce has disposed of his stock to Messrs. Bartman & Sintzel, who will carry on the business in the old stand.

WET.—Our Oswego exchanges which reached here this morning bear the appearance of having received a soaking in transit to this place, most likely obtained in crossing from the Cape to Kingston.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

METROPOLITAN HALL.—A sparring exhibition will be given in the above hall here, this evening. Allen and Maddon will appear, and a number of local sports will lend their assistance in demonstrating the science of glove—ology.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

WOOD.—The roads being now in good condition for drawing loads thereon, large quantities of wood are brought to town. First class beach and maple has been sold for $3:50 whilst inferior qualities can be had at much lower prices.

CROSSING TO THE CAPE.—During the past two days the crossing from Kingston to the Island has improved very much. A few days ago it was expected that the "Pierrepont" would be able to go over, but the recent frosts have destroyed that hope.

THE STRIKE.—We have received the report of all correspondence, &c., respecting the disturbance on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway during the late strike among the engine drivers, and will give a resume in next issue.

OFF FOR THE NORTH.—Taking advantage of the good sleighing which now prevails, a number of teamsters left here this morning with large loads for the northern part of the county. Several more will leave here to-morrow.

CHURCH DEDICATION.—The new M. E. Church, Prescott, was dedicated on Thursday last. Bishop Carman delivered the first sermon in the edifice and the *Citizen* says "the effort in matter and style was one worthy of the man and the occasion."

A BIG THING.—Negotiations for the purchase of the principal saw mills and timber limits of this province—including those of Gilmour & Co.—are now being made by Mr. John Mather, of Ottawa, for an English Company with a capital of $25,000,000.

ROSEDALE.—Lester Wallack's military drama of Rosedale, will be produced at the Opera House to-night by McDowell's Theatrical Company, from the Academy of Music, Montreal. The company embraces a number of first class performers, and every preparation has been made that will render its production accurate and artistic. A detachment of the 15th Batt. A. L. I. will appear upon the stage, and take part in the evening's performance.

NAVIGATION.—Navigation has now opened on the upper lakes and a number of schooners have already made voyages from ports on Lake Michigan to Chicago. It is now said that clear water exists between Brockville and the lake and a vessel could readily pass either way.

THE COMMISSION.—The Commission to enquire into the financial affairs of the town and other matters connected therewith, has brought its labors to a close and papers in connection with their work have been forwarded to the Government who we trust will make their contents known at an early day.

THE CELLS.—On Saturday afternoon the police succeeded in capturing five drunks. One was allowed to go home in the evening, after having sobered off and another was let out yesterday morning on promising to appear before the court to-day. Four tramps kept the above company. Last night there were three prisoners and one tramp locked up.

USEFUL INVENTION.—Mr. Thomas of Bowmanville has obtained a patent for a novel shuttle for sewing machines. The invention is a skeleton and differs from the old kind by its being lighter, gives less friction, will wear much longer, hold about 100 per cent more thread, and is in every respect more simple, easily managed and superior to the old kind. The inventor and patentee is a brother of Mrs. William Baker of Belleville.

TO BE INVESTIGATED.—A by-law is to introduced in the Kingston Council to authorize an enquiry into the origin of each fire which occurs in that city. Considering the frequency of fires in Kingston, and their mysterious origin, it is a wonder an investigation has not been held before. Property owners and insurance men should take a lively interest in the premises.

FIRE AT NAPANEE.—About two o'clock on Saturday morning the building occupied by C. B. Ashley and A. H. Boyle, groceries and tinware, took fire. The flames were extinguished before any harm was done. The fire was discovered near the office on Ashley's side of the store before it had gained much headway, but had damaged the shop and goods badly, mostly by smoke. The loss will amount to several hundred dollars, which is covered by insurance. An investigation is to be held as to the cause.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The second appearance of the Barnabee Concert Company, in point of attendance not a success, yet the entertainment was as meritorious as that of its predecessor. The several members of the Company acquitted themselves in a manner that left nothing to be desired and their efforts provoked the repeated applause of all present. Such a talanted musical organization seldom visits this town and we have to regret that that their last concert was not better attended.

HORSE DROWNED.—Mr. Thomas Wilson, proprietor of the Tichborne House, Picton, met with a very serious mishap whilst driving on the ice from Mill Point to his home, on Saturday morning last. He, in company with another man, was driving along in the vicinity of Roblin's, in the Reach, when the horse and rig broke through the ice. Mr. Wilson's companion succeeded in gaining the sound ice, and it was only with a great deal of difficulty that he effected Mr. W's. rescue. The horse which belonged to Mr. Vorce, livery stable keeper, Picton, and which was a very valuable animal, was drowned. Mr. W. is now confined to his room from the effects of this dip—Vennor's last.

MR. E. A MCDOWELL begs to inform his friends and the public of Belleville, that having just completed a most successful season of 16 months, at the Academy of Music, Montreal, he purposes presenting at the New Opera House a series of refined dramatic entertainments, embracing the great novelties and triumphs of the London, Paris and New York stage, most of which are still being performed in these cities with undiminished success. Believing that the choicest productions of the best English, French and American authors of the day, if placed before the Belleville public, with every attention to completness in regard to scenic accessories, costumes and artistic ability, on the part of a carefully selected company, cannot fail to secure general patronage, it will be the aim of the management to conduct the New Opera House in all its departments, so as to satisfy critical taste and morality, and make it what it should be, a resort where elegance, security, comfort and a class of entertainment will be presented of the most unexceptionable nature, thereby insuring the interest and refined amusement of the patrons and lovers of the drama generally. And with this object in view, Mr. McDowell directs attention to the select features of this enterprise.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

MONDAY, March 12.

CARTING WITHOUT LICENSE.

Michael Kehoe, John Slaven and David Bradford, charged with carting without license, had their cases laid over till to-morrow.

DRUNK.

James O'Brien and Patrick Long were dismissed.

W. A. Brickman was fined $2.00 and costs.

MIS-APPROPRIATION.

The case of John Dorsey *vs.* Patrick Tansey was dismissed.

—The Arnprior "Review" is pleased to learn that Mr. John Bell, of Pembroke, who last fall tried the experiment of shipping the lumber cut for him at the Waba mills direct to England, has been rewarded for his enterprise by finding the venture turn out well.

—Mr. J. R. Booth, of Quebec, received a telegram from the foreman of one his lumbering shanties, 150 miles up the Opeongo, that three inches of snow had fallen, and that there was every prospect of more snow. Men and teams were busily engaged in drawing the timber on the snow to the river.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

HAMPTON'S REQUEST.

NEW YORK, March 12.—A Washington special to the *Herald* says a letter from Hampton to the President is addressed to him as Commander of the Army, and requests the withdrawal of the troops in order that his Government may be established.

WILL BE NEUTRAL.

The President will take no part in the election for Congressmen in Ohio or Louisiana.

LOSS BY FIRE.

Three frame dwellings in Williamsburg were burned yesterday by the explosion of a kerosene lamp; loss, $15,000.

WILL BE MISSED.

Edward Windust, a noted restaurant keeper of this city, died yesterday, aged 79. His place was a rendezvous for editors, actors, artists, &c.

NON-POLITICAL.

The *Times'* Washington special says Postmaster Key has requested Tyner to remain as first Assistant Postmaster, but the latter declines. Key desires some leading Republican as his Assistant to take charge of appointments north.

A PROTEST.

Attorney Spencer protests against a dividend of Western Union Telegraph in behalf, he alleges, of stockholders, on the ground that the Company cannot afford it.

A PEACE COMMISSION.

The *World* says Vice-President Wheeler is to head a peace commission to the Southern States, the other commissioners to be Senator Hoar and Congressman Foster. They are to select two Democratic Congressmen to unite with them.

ANOTHER FIRE.

Corlin's Shooting Gallery and McLewer's crockery store adjoining the Park Theatre, were burned yesterday. Loss $10,000.

Jacob Prinz died at the hospital in Newark yesterday. He stated that he was thrown from a passenger car by Conductor NcVey, and the engine on the other track struck him, throwing him down an embankment, fracturing his skull.

THE CUBAN CAUSE.

At a Cuban meeting last night a subscription was started for ammunition to be sent to Cuba by an expedition shortly.

CONSUL CHANGES.

A Washington *Tribune* special says Frelinghuysen, Banks, Logan & Hawley are mentioned as candidates for successor to Pierrepont. Governor Noyes goes to France.

THE LATE FIRE.

Fifteen safes were taken from the ruins of the fire in Bond St. and nearly half a million dollars worth of diamonds and jewellry recovered.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

THE RUSSIAN MINISTER'S PROPOSALS.

LONDON, March 12.—The *Post* announces a Cabinet Council immediately, to decide upon the acceptability of the proposals brought by Schouvaloff, the Russian Ambassador.

CATTLE DISEASES IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, March 12th.—Rinderpest has appeared near Grimsley, Lincolnshire, and the foot and mouth disease in Cheshire and Somersetshire, England, and Flintshire, Wales.

COLD IN RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 12th.—The past winter was the severest for many years. The thermometer on Sunday was nearly 20° below zero.

SEVERE SNOW STORM.

PESTH, March 12th.—It has been snowing for forty eight hours; the railways are blocked and traffic is at a standstill. The snow is from 3 to 12 feet deep.

AMERICAN.

AN OLD PUBLIC SERVANT.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Secretary Morrill retires from office after 20 years of continued public service, beginning with the Governorship of Maine. He leaves his office poor, and the President has expressed his intention to place him in a position which will afford him comfortable support.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA MUDDLE.

NEW YORK, March 12.—A Washington special renews the report that Chamberlain is about to withdraw from the Gubernational contest in South Carolina. He will be properly provided for elsewhere.

COLLIERIES STARTED.

PHILADELPHIA, March 12.—The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co. will start up 4 collieries to-day, and the remainder of their 49 collieries next week.

This and That.

—A party of nine left Prescott on Tuesday for California.

—Guelph is to have a shirt factory. It opens next week.

—A 3,500 pound ox was slaughtered by a Detroit butcher the other day.

—Kingston customers have to pay $2.90 per thousand for gas after the 1st of April.

Sheriff Gow, of Guelph, left yesterday morning for the Springs at St. Catharines.

—It is rumored that the Prince Imperial is about to issue a manifesto to the French people.

—It is reported that the Imperial Government intend laying a submarine cable between Halifax and Bermuda.

—Rev. John Gray, late of Newburg, N.Y., has accepted the call from the Baptist congregation of Ottawa.

—Eli Perkins lectured in Baltimore to an audience of sixty persons. Alas! poor Eli.

—An entire suspension of coal mining is announced in Maryland.

—Several cases of Diptheria have occurrred in Woodstock lately.

—The Dunkin Act is being agitated in the County of York.

—During the past week 500 men were discharged from the Brooklyn, N. Y. Navy Yard, the appropriation being exhausted.

—The Chatham P. O. last year issued $27,286.12 in money orders, while Dresden P. O. issued $25,026.97.

—Manitoba has had mild weather for weeks past, and indications point to an early spring.

—A mass meeting for congratulation on the passage of the Dunkin Bill by-law was held in Oshawa last evening.

—Mrs. H. Ward, widow of the late Wm. Ward, the founder of Wardsville, died at the residence of her son-in-law, in St. Thomas, the other day.

—One man's body recovered from the wreck of the George Washington, at Cape Race, had a crucifix on the arm in Indian ink; another the figure of a woman and bird, and another the letters "R. K."

—Robins and others spring birds have made their appearence in different parts of the country during the late fine weather. This is the earliest date within our recollection at which these birds ventured so far north, and we can only hope they won't have cause to regret their temerity before the next month is over.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson,

BELLEVILLE, March 12.

Greenbacks buying at...	94¼ to 94½
" selling at...	95¼ to 95½
American Silver buying at...	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange ...	84¼

Gold opened at 104½; closed at 104½.

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Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

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FRIDAY March 9th.

The Council met at ten o'clock.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Wood moved that $21 be refunded to Mr. Ashley for an advance made by him for the repair of the road near Zion's Hill. He explained that the people of that section had promised a subscription in aid of the work but they had failed to carry out their promises.

Mr. Wilmot seconded the motion.

Mr. Ashley said he had a statement of the amount of money expended and the work done. Subscriptions had been paid but if the remainder was hauled in, he would refunded the sum.

The motion was passed.

Mr. Wood said that circumstances now made it necessary for the Township of Hungerford to assist the people there by purchasing seed grain for them. He was sorry that it could not be avoided. It was suggested by the representatives of that township, to now issue debentures at 7 per cent payable and have the County take them.

Mr. Flint doubted that the Council had power to act in this matter.

Mr Aylesworth moved seconded by Mr. Anderson that the Superintendant report on the condition of the road between Tyendinaga station and Mill Point—Carried.

Mr. Gorden spoke with reference to the purchase of seed grain for the destitute in his township. He therefore moved that the County purchase $2000 in debentures at 7 per cent payable in one or two years; the proceeds to be applied for the purchasing of seed grain.—Carried.

Mr. Wood said the spirit of the municipal law was such as to allow this but the Council themselves would be responsible for the repayment.

Mr. White said whatever would be done, would have to be done under the municipal act.

Mr. Aylesworth moved the Council into Committe on by-laws.

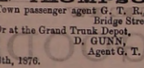
Mr. Flint said it was a question with him whether or no the Council can go into Committee on account of the action of the Council yesterday in their action on the H. & Q. railway matter.

Messrs Wood and Aylesworth spoke contrary.

Council went into Committee on By-laws.—Mr. Haggerty in the chair.

The by-law to assume that part of the road at the east end of Gordon's bridge as a county road was read a second time. The length of the road is about ¾ of a mile.

Committee rose and reported.—Adopted Council adjourned till the second Tuesday in June.



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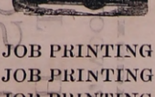

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24	14 00	30	17 50	36	21 10	42	26 50	48	32 70	54	44 00
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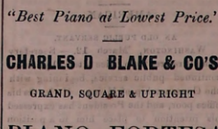

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Full directions are given on the wrapper to each box, how to use them as a Family Physic, and for the following complaints, which these *Pills* rapidly cure:—

For **Dyspepsia** or **Indigestion, Listlessness, Languor** and **Loss of Appetite**, they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach, and restore its healthy tone and action.

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For **Dysentery** or **Diarrhœa**, but one mild dose is generally required.

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As a *Dinner Pill*, take one or two *Pills* to promote digestion and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

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Belleville, May 17th, 1876.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND [T]UNK [TI]ME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6:10 p m
d .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
xed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at .. .. 2 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 13.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—Two tramps and one prisoner were registered at the police station last night.

NEW OFFICE.—The Dominion Telegraph Company has opened an office at Manns ville, N. Y.

DANGER OVERHEAD.—Pedestrians should be careful in passing on a street where icicles depend from the eaves of buildings, as the congealed stalactites are liable to cause serious injury.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

SUSPENDED FOR A MONTH.—At the meeting of the Police Committee yesterday afternoon, Officer McCoy's case was taken up and considered, and resulted in his being suspended for a month.

A BAD LOT.—The Mayor and City Council of Kingston must indeed be a bad lot, when they are singled out as special subjects for prayer. They should reform ere it too late.

DISAGREEABLE.—Falling icicles and dripping water from the roofs make street promenading somewhat disagreeable. The ladies complain that their bonnets and hats get injured.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

SCHOOL BOARD.—A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education takes place this evening at the usual hour and place. The application of that illustrious "rightin" master from Flint, Michigan, will be considered.

METROPOLITAN HALL.—There was a large assemblage in the above named hall last night to witness the sparring exhibition. Allen and Maddon had a set-to, and a number of local sports donned the gloves and exhibited their knowledge of the art of self defence.

WELL SPOKEN OF.—The performance of Mr. McDowell's Company in the Opera House last night was the engrossing topic of conversation to-day No troupe that has yet appeared here has made such a favorable impression in the minds of the amusement-loving public.

EXPORTATION.—Yesterday our attention was called to some beautiful upholstered settees, manufactured by Mr. G. S. Tickell for the Oddfellows of Kingston. We congratulate our townsman for his enterprise and push, as, instead of bringing furniture from Kingston as heretofore, he is actually sending it there. We say to others in the manufacturing line, Go thou and do likewise. The s q iel is plain; it brings "grist to our mill," or perhaps better expressed, the cash into our town.

A GRIEVANCE.—The result of the late contest in Prince Edward Co., over the Dunkin Act repeal, has created a feeling that is not likely soon to give way to something better. As an instance how far animosity may be carried, we are told that a few days ago while the Picton Stage was *en route* to Belleville the passengers, among other things, discussed Dunkin. One gentleman took decided grounds in defence of such legislation, and when Covert's Hotel was reached the landlord refused to admit him, though the weather was very disagreeable, and he was chilled by the long drive from Picton. He was compelled to wait outside in the rain until his fellow travellers were ready to proceed. This was a grievance, and the stage proprietors should see that it does not occur again.

HE LOST HIS WIFE.—A countryman and his wife drove a team of horses, hooked to a sleigh, to town last night. They stopped in front of several hotels, and the man would go inside and take his drink, leaving the woman outside in order to mind the horses. After assuaging his thirst he would bring a drink out to the woman, an action which she did not at all object to. After a time both began to be under the influence; yet the man determined to continue the process of calling. He, however, made one call too many, as during his short absence in the bar of a down town hotel the woman and rig disappeared, and though he made every effort to find the woman and the property, up to this morning he was unsuccessful. His peace of mind was sadly disturbed, and he seemed generally unhappy.

THE RED RIBBON MANIA.—The *Times* says the Red Ribbon mania has reached Hamilton, and the infection has caught quite a number of our citizens. The flowing bowl is to be discharged for the flowing ribbon, and every recruit is to nail his colors to the mast. A mass meeting is talked of and a central enrolling station is to be opened immediately. As far as we can learn of the objects of the new movement, no temperance pledge is required, no secrecy imposed, and the ranks are to be opened to all classes, creeds and colors. The new member simply enrolls his name and dons his badge—his subsequent action being entrusted solely to the dictates of his own conscience. Our Red Ribbon enthusiasts are very sanguine of the success of the new movement; time will tell how far they are correct in their predictions. In the meantime let them bring forth the ribbons —ribbons by the mile!

THE SLEIGHING.—The sleighing was greatly impaired to-day by the warm sun and in many places the ground is bare. An immense quantity of wood was brought to town before it disappeared.

MR. VENNOR AND OUR TOWN CLOCK.—*A Conundrum*:—Why is our town clock like Mr. Vennor? Because it is a *high* authority, having a hand *ahead* of time, keeping people looking up to it, and occasioning pretty sharp remarks.

TOO BAD.—Owing to the neglect of our citizens to properly comply with the provisions of the Snow By-law, the streets, owing to the melting of the snow, are in a very unpleasant state, and cause pedestrians a vast amount of annoyance. A little lake now adorns the outer edge of the walk in the vicinity of each snow bank.

AN INQUIRY ANSWERED.—D. C. R. writes: "I am afflicted with a very red nose. Do you think blue glass would effect a cure? If so how should the blue glass be used?" Blue glass would most undoubtedly effect a cure. We know a man who had a wart on his nose. He took his tod out of blue glass. Now he is the proud possessor of twenty warts and a wen We know another man who had corns. He applied blue glass to his boots. The glass broke, his foot was badly cut, and had to be amputated. But the corns were cured. We know a man who fondly loved, but was not beloved again. He took to wearing blue spectacles. That conquered the maiden's heart. She married him, and he wishes she hadn't. We could adduce a number of other extraordinary things which blue glass has performed, but the foregoing are sufficient to convince "D. C. R." that there is nothing like blue glass—except green men.

THE ROYAL CANADIAN MEDAL.—The President of the Belleville Curling Club received from the Govenor-General yesterday a long autograph letter in reference to the curling match between the Belleville and Vice-Regal clubs for the Royal Canadian medal. His Excellency's letter states that the Vice-Regal team cannot leave Ottawa at present on account of the pressure of public business, and that they would be obliged to forfeit the medal through inability to play the second half of the match here unless the Belleville club will forego their rights and play the second half of the game in Ottawa. Not wishing to possess the medal unless fairly won, the Belleville club have accepted the invitation of His Excellency, their team leaving to-morrow evening for Ottawa, where the game will come off on Thursday. A strong rink has been chosen, namely, Messrs. Thomas McRae, skip; Wm. Robertson, James Robertson, and Angus McFee.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—McDowell's Dramatic Company made their first appearance in the Opera House last evening; producing on that occasion the military drama of Rosedale. The attendance was very large; in fact so great was the demand for seats that camp stools were called into requisition to accommodate those who thronged the dress circle and gallery. With the exception of a small number of seats in the orchestra chairs, the theatre was completely filled: thus attesting the popularity of this party. The play was presented with that careful attention to detail and to the accomplishment of enjoyable effects which has characterized Mr. McDowell's previous productions here, and everything possible seemed to have been done to make the dramatic portraiture complete. Mr. McDowell appeared as *Elliott Gray* in his usual finished style; Miss Reeves represented *Rosa Leigh* with great fidelity; Mr. Neil Warner made the most he could out of the indifferent part of *Dr. Lee*; Mr. Lanagan gave a graphic personation, in get-up, demeanor and dialect of *Myles McKenna*; Mr. Holmes as *Colonel May* acquitted himself creditably; the performance of Mr. Morris was a finished one, and called forth unbounded merriment. Little Jennie Lorne acted the part of *Sir Arthur May* in a very effective manner, and displayed marked talent for one of her years. Her lines were enunciated in a clear and distinct voice, and her acting merited the commendation bestowed upon it. Miss Affie Weaver's conception of the character of *Lady Florence May* was a truthful picture, and was acted with becoming effect. The remainder of the cast acquitted themselves creditably. The scenes—especially those of the Gipseys' Camp and the Ball Room, have never been surpassed here, and reflect great credit on the Management. Augustine Daly's great modern drama of "Pique" will be produced this evening. This play achieved the greatest success known in the U. S. for years. It was performed for 200 consecutive nights in New York, to crowded houses, and its production here for one night only is sure to be a great success. The ladies of Mr. McDowell's company will this evening appear in new fashionable toilets of the most gorgeous description, and some of them will wear no less than five different costumes. The ladies of this town will have an excellent opportunity of viewing some beautiful and costly wardrobes. Tomorrow evening Mr. Neil Warner will appear in his great impersonation of *Macbeth*.

SPRING ASSIZES.

The Spring Sittings of the Court of Assizes and Nisi Prius opened at one o'clock this afternoon before Hon. Mr. Justice Gwynne.

B. M. Britton, Q. C., of Kingston will conduct the business of the Crown—a light task as there are no prisoners in jail and but three out on bail.

The civil docket is also small, there being but twenty-three cases.

The following is a list of the causes:

Brook *et al* vs. Fair; Dickson for Plff.; Mr. Jellett for Deft. Ponton *et al* vs. Culbertson; Wallbridge for Plff.; Henderson for Deft.; Jury. Spry vs. Hayne; McMahon for Plff.; Bleecker for Deft.; Jury. Squier vs. McCabe; Francis for Plff.; Osler for Deft.; Jury. Hazleton vs. Cook.; M. Jellett for Plff; Cook for Deft. Brook *et al* vs. Guyette; Dickson for Plff.; Flint for Deft. Coleman vs. I. R. Ins. Co.; Bleecker for Plff.; Kerr for Deft.; Jury. O'Rielly vs. Snider *et al*; Henderson for Plff.; Wallbridge for Deft.; Jury. Hazleton vs. Cook; Jellett for Plff.; Dougall for Deft. Brooke *et al* vs. Anderson; Dickson for Plff; Stone for Deft. Wilkins vs. Lott *et al*; Wallbridge for Plff; Bell for Deft.; Jury. Jordan vs. G. J. R. Co.; Henderson for Plff; Bell for Defts.; Jury. Brown vs. Norrie; Jellett for Plff.; Flint for Deft. Hart vs. Anderson; Bleecker for Plff.; Fraleck for Deft.; Jury. Thorp vs. Bogart *et al*; Henderson for Plff.; Dickson for Deft.; Bailey vs. Holcomb; Jellett for Plff; Bell for Deft.; Jury. Thorp vs. Smith; Henderson for Plff; Wallbridge for Deft.; Jury. McGillivray vs. Smith; Dickson for Plff.; Jellett for Deft. Reed vs. Gunning; Flint for Plff; Fraleck for Deft.; Jury. Gordon vs. Mason Manufacturing Co.; Dickson for Plff.; McGee for Deft.; Jury. Clarke vs. Garratt *et al*; Henderson for Plff.; McMahon for Deft.; Jury. Downey vs. Nelson; Stone for Plff.; Henderson for Deft. McAdie vs. Western Assurance Co.; Henderson for Plff.; Gordon for Defts.; Jury.

The criminal cases are the Queen vs. Golding; Queen vs. Booth, and Queen vs. Gordon.

The Grand Jury is composed of the following gentlemen:—

FOREMAN—Mr. C F Aylesworth; B F Austin, John Allan, Harvey Bleecker, Patrick Carey, A L Crouter, R C H Cotter, James Cook, George H Clare, John Carlton, John McG Detlor, W Elliott, Henry Finn, Joseph C Foster, W B Gilroy, William Graham, Paul Kingston, John W Kelly, Jno McConnell, Jno O'Neil, Edwin Read, G D Rowe, John Rowe, and Thomas Walker.

The following is the Judge's charge:

Gentlemen of the Grand Jury—I am happy to say to you that so far as your County at large is concerned you are to be congratulated. From the fact of a large amount of the criminal business being done by the County Judge, and also by your having a Police Magistrate to investigate many of these cases, little business has been left for you. It would not be true to imagine that there was no crime in the County; but it exhibits a very gratifying state of things. I have no doubt that this is largely to be attributed to the influence of our Common Schools throughout the country. I have really nothing gentlemen to say to you. The Sheriff has placed a blank list before me, but some business may arise which will be brought before you by the gentleman having charge of the Crown business. Probably you may be kept a week, after which you shall be discharged.

TROOPS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROGRAMME OF MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

Some time ago a story went the rounds to the effect that the 42nd Highlanders, one of the crack regiments of the British service, had been ordered to British Columbia, and that the corps would, with permission of the Washington Government, land at New York and cross the continent by rail to San Francisco.

The fact is the British Government has ordered the 20th and 97th regiments of the line now lying at Halifax, N. S., to proceed to British Columbia. Major-Gen. O'Grady Haly, the officer in command of the British forces in North America, is now on his way from Halifax to Ottawa to arrange with the Militia Department there for the transportation of the troops. They will make the journey from Halifax to Quebec by the Intercolonial Railway, and thence to Toronto by the Grand Trunk and will be quartered in the fort in Toronto until the permission of the Washington authorities is obtained for their transportation across the continent via Chicago. This, in brief, is the programme as communicated to the authorities in Toronto.

The regiments named have just arrived at Halifax from Bermuda. The 20th (First battallion) is commanded by Lieut.-Col W. L. Devenish-Mears, and the 97th by Lieut. Col. W. Richard Annesley, the latter an officer of considerable military reputation as well as of high rank. The regiments will probably leave Halifax about the end of this month. They are each seven hundred and fifty strong.

The troops are being sent to the Pacific coast in accordance with the present policy of England, which is to be armed at every vulnerable point against offensive operations on the part of Russia. The Eastern question is not settled yet. The spring may bring a general crash in Europe. The British Pacific coast is now guarded by the Amethyst gunboat, and the regiments in question will add in some degree to the protection of the colony.

This and That.

—The usual $50,000 will be voted for the veterans.

—20,000 centals of wheat were produced in California last year.

—The first session of the North-west Council was held on Thursday.

—The red ribbon mania has reached this city from the other country over the river.

—Mr. W. A. Murray, the well known dry good dealer of Toronto, is home again after his ninety first trip to Great Britain.

—Edward Arnold, principal writer on the London "Telegraph," has been decorated by Lord Beaconsfield with the "Star of India."

—The King of Swedon recently met with a very serious accident by catching his skate in a crack in the ice and falling heavily.

—The wealthest woman in New York is Miss Pinkey. She owns 6,000 city lots, and transacts all her own business.

—Australia imported rabbits to keep down the weeds. She is now importing weasels to to keep down the rabbits.

—The Clinton "New Era" says Mr. Greenway would be deemed a traitor if he forsook his free trade principals, which have long been known in Huron.

The two hottest days ever known in Australia were the 13th and 15th of January, when the thermometer registered 105 degrees in the shade.

—A fair sample. A. Mr. Hoyt in New York recently failed with nearly two million dollars of liabilities and $17.47 cash in hand.

—Somebody in Boston sent Mrs Hayes the great American eagle in camelias, violets and evergreens, and didn't even get his business card in his dispatches.

—An Irish gentleman, hearing of a friend having a stone coffin made for himself, exclaimed: "By me sowl, an' that's a good idea! Shure, an' a stone coffin 'od last a man his lifetime."

—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of the Ashtabula railroad disaster declare that the bridge which gave away was improperly constructed, and lays the blame on the railroad company.

—A married man named Thomas McKim, of Almonte, eloped with a widow from that place a few days since. The runaway pair were only traced as far as Brockville, at which point they crossed the line.

Specialties.

—Spring seems to have gone backward into the lap of winter.

—Servants should attend roll call when baker's deliver bread.

—A rose by any other name will look as sweet under blue glass.

—A public debt is something everybody talks about and nobody pays.

—The man who uses an alias makes a name for himself in the world.

—Have you made up your mind where you are going to live the coming year?

—When the water pitcher is full there is no difficulty about its running, but when the base ball pitcher is full there is.

—It is said that a blind woman can knit faster than one with good eyes. She doesn't run to the window every five minutes.

—A young lady who has suffered from "baggage-smashers" is going to have her trunks covered with flannel this season, having heard that flannel is a good chest protector.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

THE SUPREME COURT VACANCY.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 13.—A private letter from Senator Davis expresses the belief that his place on the Supreme Bench will be filled by the appointment of Judge Drummond of Illinois.

SAD AND FATAL ACCIDENT.

CINCINNATI, March 13.—At Coal Run, Ohio, recently, at a rehearsal of a private theatrical party, a young man named Mason, was to receive a dagger thrust from Steven Rumbel. A sack of red liquid was concealed under his clothes and a wooden breast-plate was to protect him. In the excitement of the rehearsal, the breast-plate changed position and the dagger went to Mason's heart. He died instantly.

DESTRUCTIVE TORNADO.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13—The recent tornado demolished every house on the plantation of A. Grimmet in Tallapoosa Co. His son and a negro were killed by falling timber.

THE LOUISIANA SENATORSHIP.

NEW YORK, March 13.—The *Herald's* New Orleans special says: Nicholls in a speech in the Legislatve Caucus, plainly plainly advised the election of a Republican Senator, he having no faith in the admission of a Democrat.

NO SESSION OF CONGRESS.

The *Herald's* Washington special says: An extra session of Congress is improbable as the army expenses can be met without an immediate appropriation.

TIRED OF PUBLIC LIFE.

Senator Cameron in an interview says he resigns because he is tired of public life.

THE SOUTHERN COMMISSION.

The *World's* Washington special says: —"The question of sending a Commission to the South was alluded to in the Cabinet yesterday, but under the protest of Southern Congressmen, the project will probably be abandoned.

FOREIGN APPOINTMENTS.

A special meeting of the Cabinet is called for Wednesday evening to consider the foreign appointments. Beale will be recalled from Vienna and Washburne from France; Bancroft Davis will remain in Germany.

NEW RULES.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says: —The understanding of the New Civil Service Rules will provide that recommendations of Congressmen shall not be regarded or considered except when in accordance with the best judgment of the President and Cabinet, on the ground that as Congress constitutes an indicting and impeaching power, it cannot be presumed they will be zealous in indicting or impeaching persons of their own appointment These rules will be promulgated with in a week. The Vice-President announces he will recommend no person to the President for office.

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Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your space,

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Yours, etc.,
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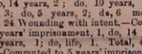
CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

A return of the capital convictions showing the names of convicts, the nature of the crime, the action of the Executive, and the date of such action moved for during the present session has just been published. It states from the first of July, 1867, to the 31st of December, 1876. The capital convictions are 114 in number, for the following offence:—Murder, 77; rape, 24; wounding or stabbing with intent, 4; burglary, 3; levying war on Her Majesty, 1; piracy and murder, 4; attempt to murder, 1. Total, 114. The disposition of the cases has been as follows:—Murder-executed, 32; commuted to imprisonment for life, 36; do, 15 years with 14 years, 3; do, 10 years, 2; do, 2 years, with banishment, 1; pardoned, 2. Total, 77. Rape.—Committed to imprisonment for life, 15; do, 14 years, 2; do, 10 years, 1; do, 7 years, 3; do, 5 years, 2; do, 6 months, 1. Total, 24 Wounding with intent.—Commuted to 15 years' imprisonment, 1, do, 14 years, 1; do, 5 years, 1; do, life, 1. Total, 4. Burglary.—Commuted to 5 years' imprisonment, 4. Attempt to poison.—Commuted to imprisonment for life, 1. Leving war on Her Majesty.—Commuted to imprisonment for 20 years, 1.



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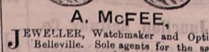

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As the whole stock has been laid in for Cash.

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Belleville, Feb. 24, 1875. wly

For the ONTARIO.

UNNATURAL HISTORY.

Modern Church Goers.

BY EDWARD A. SAXBY.

No matter to whatever city, town or village we go, we invariably meet the same class of church goers. Who ever heard of a congregation without a prominent banker, or an official assignee to walk up and down the aisle, wearing a pair of gold spectacles and an angelic smile, which anyone can see has been manufactured for the occasion?

Far be it from us to ridicule, or even criticise, the sincere church goer, but we cannot forget that "Charity covereth a multitude of sins," and, therefore, it may be as well for us to be charitable enough to endeavor to point out the difference between the sincere and the hypocritical man. It is a well-known fact that churches are gradually getting to resemble limited liability companies. The pastor is the President, the deacons are the Board of Directors and the members the shareholders. In fact, they are close corporations; rich men hold the keys; rich men pay the bills; the poor have no show, hence no interest. Caste and formality are creeping into our churches more and more every day. Let a poor woman with a faded bonnet, walk into the pew of Mrs. Diamond-Bedecked, the latter would have such a fright, that she would forget to say her prayers for a week.

Nothing is of more interest than the arrival of a new pastor; how he is flattered and cowited by the "great guns" of the congregation, and especially by the fair sex who are of the opinion that "he is a duck of a preacher!"

Could Dr. Watts or good old John Wesley hear some of the epithets accorded to a new minister, it is a great query if they would ever rest comfortably in their graves again.

The student, who has just finished his college course, is an intensely interesting being. It was only the other day that we had the extreme felicity of hearing one of these "pulpit exquisites." His fashionable cut coat, spotless linen and lily-white hand, at once raised him considerably above par in the estimation of the female portion of his flock. His actions had evidently been studied for hours before a looking glass, and his great ambition seemed to be to place as many adjectives in a row as possible. We first met him on the piazza at a fashionable hotel at a well-known watering place. He was describing to a group of highly interested and interesting young ladies the exhaustive nature of preaching, and assured them that if his people did not allow him a trip to Europe every year ("which was *so* delightful") he could never labor so hard. On the following Sunday we heard him in the pulpit, when we came to the conclusion that he was infinitely more suitable for the piazza than the platform. He besought his hearers "to leave the inexplicable and tenaceous wiles of this contaminating and obnoxious terrestrial sphere, and seek the refulgent, yet etherial light which shines with dazzling splendor and illuminative rays on the beatific, angelic and celestial path leading to the subterraneous halls of the consanguineous palaces of the adorable ineffable!" The sermon was equally exhaustive to the preacher and his hearers.

As many come to bring their clothes to church rather than themselves, we are not surprised that people will pay pew rents year after year to hear such sermons as these. The question is not, "Who is the best preacher?" but, "Who is the best man in the drawing room?" "Who can preach the best sermon without pricking the conscience of the most susceptible of his hearers?" These latter qualifications endorse a man to be "an *able* preacher."

It is not our intention to give a sermon in this sketch, but we cannot refrain from pointing out the immoral effect such a course has upon the outer world.

Conversaziones, socials and glee practices have taken the place of religious services. If we look upon our Puritan ancestors with ridicule, surely they must look upon us with pity and contempt!

A few weeks ago we heard a minister, in a moment of inspirational eloquence, exclaim from his pulpit: "What are riches? Thank God, I'm poor; and I pray He may ever keep me so!" Taking him at his word, and wishing to demonstrate the efficacy of prayer, the deacons met together the same week and reduced the pastor's salary from $900 to $600 per annum. He explained that "he only spoke in the abstract."

Deacons are usually great talkers about charity, but very little doers. A deacon of our acquaintance took a poor man into his office as messenger, and also obliged him to clean the church thoroughly once a week, and added fifteen cents on to his weekly salary. The poor fellow, with tears in his eyes, and overwhelmed at such liberality, begged to be allowed to take the amount in instalments—"he was afraid he could not stand prosperity."

Far be it from us to depreciate foreign missions and Dorcas societies, but we have often wondered that the work is not given to some poor needlewoman who would do it in half the time and for half the price. This, of course, would appear perfectly monstrous in the eyes of the Church aristocracy. They must meet in a drawing-room, have coffee and tea handed around by a powdered footman, hem about two inches of a pocket-handkerchief, and devote the rest of the time discussing their neighbors' business. This is no overdrawn sketch, but a stubborn fact, which is a disgrace to any so-called Christian church.

At a skating-rink carnival we have seen prominent church members dressed as the very old gentleman himself. How natural it is for a youth to try on his father's clothes and flatter himself that the time is not far distant when he will always be able to wear the same garments without appearing conspicuous! Although we may not be actually descended from monkeys, we undoubtedly do our best to claim the relation; and we doubt very much if the monkerial tribe would consider it any compliment for us to take them by the hand and call them "a man and brother."

Let no man who wants to do anything for the soul of a man lose a chance of doing for his body. How many men will subscribe a hundred dollars when their names are guaranteed to appear in print at the top of a list, who would refuse to give a loaf of bread to a suffering fellow creature.

"Alas! for the rarity
Of Christian charity,
Under the sun!"

Love, always more beautiful than selfishness, is what we demand from others. Unfortunately the supply is not equal to the demand.

A very precise person, remarking upon Shakespeare's lines,—

"The good men do is oft
interred with their bones,"

carefully observed that this interment can

generally take place without crowding the bones, and we must concur with him in his opinion. Our life is too short to spend in idleness. Our existence would be too hard for us, did we fully realize throughout the length of its few days what a brief and bitter dream it really is. And we should do little but tremble with dread anticipation but for the old fancy we have that, though the years behind us are so brief, those before us will be so long that we need not measure them. At least not yet.

Most of the shadows that cross our path through life are caused by our standing in our own light. Move boldly on, and the shadows will pass away. Live for something worthy of life and its capabilities and opportunities for noble deeds and achievements. Every man and woman has his or her assignment in the duties and responsibilities of daily life.

Life is like a roll of costly material passing swiftly through our hands, and we must embroider our pattern on it as it goes. We cannot wait to pick up a false stitch, or pause too long before we set another. Every man, no matter how lowly he may appear to himself, may still endeavour to produce something for the benefit or use of society, remembering that an insect furnishes by its labor materials wherewith to form the regal robes of kings.

"Bear on! Our life is not a dream,
Though often such its mazes seem;
We were not born for lives of ease,
Ourselves alone to aid and please.
When Duty calls, let Love grow warm—
Amid the sunshine and the storm,
With Faith life's trials boldly breast,
And come a conqueror to thy rest,
Bear on, bear bravely on!"

Our next sketch will be entitled "The Rival Churches."

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 14

It is understood that the Opposition intend moving a series of amendments to the tariff resolutions, notably in regard to the duty on malt and tea.

The Court of Appeals has decided that members of the Civil Service are liable to be assessed for income as other people are. A very sensible decision, indeed.

Will the Kingston *News* tell us who those members of the House are "infinitely Mr. Mackenzie's superiors," at whose speeches he sneers. Masson! or Dr. Orton!

The Senate Committee in charge of the Bates Divorce Bill have recommended that it be passed without amendment. The plaintiff is Mrs. Bates, and her husband is now in the penitentiary for big amy.

Mr. Blake has given notice of three Bills which will commend themselves to public favor. The first is to amend the law with reference to appeals from convictions by Justices of the Peace; the second, to make provisions against the improper use of firearms; and the third, for the suppression of gambling houses.

Opposition members of the Northern Railway Committee show an inclination to delay the investigation. Mr. McCarthy, who will assume the leadership of the minority on the Committee, finds an excuse to be absent from the meetings, and without him the Tories can't proceed to business. Like Mr. M. C. Cameron he has law briefs to give his attention to, and the public interests must wait his convenience.

Mr. James Fahey, late editor of the Hamilton *Spectator*, has been appointed Canadian correspondent of the New York *Herald*, with his head quarters at Montreal. Mr. Fahey is a vigorous writer and has the happy faculty of making telling hits without giving offence. His many friends in Belleville will be pleased to hear of his being placed in a position where full scope may be given to his versatile genius as a quill driver for the press.

"UNNATURAL HISTORY."

We direct the attention of our readers to an article under the above caption that appears on the first page of this issue. The author is one of the editors of the Montreal *Journal of Commerce*, and became known to several of our citizens while in attendance at the late Dairymen's Convention. His voluntary service as counsel for an unfortunate young woman who was brought before the Police Court, and the eloquent manner in which he plead her case at once gave him a place in the hearts of all true lovers of humanity. We are sure our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr. Saxby intends to repeat his correspondence at regular intervals. We rather like the philosophy he teaches.

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

We have received the annual report of Normal, Model, High and Public Schools of Ontario for the year 1875, with appendices. The Minister of Education has given a voluminous and carefully compiled report of the department over which he so worthily presides. We can only summarize such information as more directly concern our readers and the public generally.

The amount appropriated from the Legislative Grant was $248,061, an increase of $3,128. Amount apportioned for the purchase of maps, apparatus, prizes and library books was $21,983, a decrease of $865. The amount of County Municipal assessment was $758,467, showing an apparent increase of $151,928. From Trustees School Assessment the amount available was $1,547,125, an apparent decrease of $61,312. The amount of Clergy Reserves Moneys, and from other sources, applied to School purposes in 1875, was $789,816, an increase of $33,303. The total receipts for all Public School purposes, for the year 1875, amounted to $3,365,454, showing an increase of $126,182 over the total receipts of the preceding year. The amount paid by trustees for salaries of teachers in 1875 was $1,758,190, an increase of $110,349, and showing a tendency on the part of trustees to give teachers fairer remuneration. The total expenditure for all Public School purposes was $2,993,080, an increase of $127,747. The school population (comprising only children between the ages of five and sixteen years) reported by trustees was 501,083, or a decrease of 10,520. This is manifestly an error. The number of pupils between the ages of five and sixteen years attending the Schools was 450,805—increase, 7,706. Other ages, 23,436—increase, 2,488. Total number of pupils attending school, 474,241—increase, 10,194.

The number of children between the ages of seven and twelve years not attending any school, 10,809—increase, 488. The attention of the trustees, parents and inspectors is called to the non-attendance of some children and the partial and irregular attendance of many. Trustees and inspectors should omit no effort in inciting parents to understand and fulfil their duty; and when persuasion, argument and urgent appeals are powerless to move the parent, then it is imperative on trustees to give effect to the enactments of the law, and compel the attendance of the children. There were 1,834 schools reported, employing 6,018 teachers, of whom 2,645 were males and 3,373 females. It will thus be seen that there are about 700 more female than male teachers. All the teachers employed were certificated or licensed. Of these, 236 held 1st Class Provincial Certificates; 1,088 2nd Class Provincial; 411 1st Class County Board (old standard); 163 2nd Class, do.; 29 3rd Class, New County Board; and 539 Interim Certificates. There were 620 schools employing more than one teacher. The highest salary paid to a male teacher in a county was $800; the lowest, $120. The highest salary in a city was $1,000; lowest, $400. In a town—highest, $1,000; lowest, $300. The average salary of male teachers in counties was $361; of females, $236. In cities—male, $728; female, $295. In towns, $564 and $267 respectively. The whole number of school sections reported was 4,912, an increase of 81; and the number of schools kept open was 4,834, an increase of 76.

We omit further notice until to-morrow.

Editorial Notes.

Mr. John Mackenzie, of Sarnia, brother of the Premier, is seriously ill.

A number of families and mechanics of Toronto are making arrangements for removing to Australia in the spring.

Emily Gilmore, aged 11 years, is giving pianoforte recitals in Toronto, and promises to make a name in the future.

The Archbishop of Quebec denies the rumor that he had counselled Judge Taschereau with respect to the judgment rendered in the Charlevoix election case.

The ladies of Toronto are circulating petitions in favor of making seduction a criminal offence. The petitions are being very largely signed.

Mr. G. P. Shears, of the Rossin House, Toronto, is dangerously ill, and little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Mr. D. McEachern, President of the Montreal Veterinary College, has been elected Fellow of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons.

British Columbia and Manitoba will strive next summer to see which can raise the largest turnip. B. C. gives the challenge with one weighing 51½ pounds.

Chas. Henderson has been committed for trial at London for putting his stepchildren out of doors during a heavy storm, and at night.

Servant girls in Montreal have been ordered by the missionary priests to leave their places if Protestant employers will not allow them to go to High Mass every Sabbath.

A car-load of books and documents belonging to the Northern Railway were despatched to Ottawa yesterday. They will appear before the Committee of Investigation.

Chas. Gault, a young man lately arrested at Cumberland for the theft of a horse and vehicle, has been bequeathed £20,000 sterling by his grandfather, who recently died in the Old Country.

On Friday a train on the Port Stanley Railroad collided with a valuable Durham cow belonging to Mr. Richard Whetter, and the cow won't take part in such exercises in future.

Profanity never did any man the least good. No man is richer, or happier, or wiser for it. It commends no one to society; it is disgusting to the refined and abominable to the good.

—A New York "Herald" cable despatch reports the commencement of a suit by Baron Von Raader, divorced husband of Lucca, for the recovery of half the Money earned by Lucca in America previous to the divorce.

—Wm. Leslie, an old and respected resident of Princeton, died suddenly last night of heart disease. He was at work up to six o'clock, when he was taken suddenly ill and died within a few minutes.

—Stewart's Home for Workingwomen in New York is nearly finished, and will be opened in a short time. Rooms will be furnished for $1 per week, and food at cost price, making a total expense of $3 per week for each person.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held in the Council Chamber last evening at half past seven o'clock.

Present.—W. Shepard the Chairman, Messrs. Glass, Wensley, Doctor, A. Diamond, Johnson, McGinnis, Peterson, Peck, Northcott, Backus, I. Diamond, Dr. Tracy and Tennant.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

A petition from Holden Road and 30 others was read asking that Charles H. Sangster's salary be increased so that it would be equal to that of the other teachers of the town.

Also one from E. Harison enclosing a schedule of school furniture made by Jaques & May.

The above matters were referred.

REPORTS.

The Finance Committee handed in their report recommending the payment of a number of salaries, accounts, &c., amounting in all to $3,353.97.

The Committee on School Organization reported recommending (1) the publication of the School Inspector's report; (2) that the Inspector make all promotions and changes in the schools; (3) that the Inspector deliver lectures on Saturday; (4) that the prayer of the petition of the ratepayers of Coleman Ward be not granted, as there is sufficient room in the school in Murney Ward for the scholars of that Ward; (5) that the petition of John Macour and others be granted, and that the Chairman of the Board make the necessary arrangements therefor; (6) that eight applications had been received for the position of writing master, and the Committee recommended that Mr. George Swazey's application be received, he to receive a salary of $550 per annum, his duties to commence on April 2nd.

On the adoption of the Finance Committee's report, Mr. Wensley asked if orders had been given for the amount of paper for which pay was asked for.

The Secretary said he had given orders for some of the paper but for other items he had not.

Mr. Diamond said the Committee should not recommend the payment of the account unless they had received proper vouchers therefor.

With regard to one item in this account the Inspector said he had authorized Principal Dawson to procure paper for the Intermediate Examinations.

Mr. Wensley said a resolution of the Board stipulated that the Secretary should give orders for all the paper required.

The Finance Committee's report was then adopted.

The report of the School Organization Committee was read clause by clause.

Mr. Peterson asked Mr. Johnson if he understood him to say that the thirty-three children belonging to Coleman Ward who did not attend school at all last year, were not of school age.

In reply Mr. Johnson said he did not state so, but that the great majority were either too young or too old *to be likely* to attend school. He then stated that the ages of the thirty-three was as follows: Seven were five years old, five were six, two were seven, one was nine, one was ten, one was eleven, one was twelve, one was thirteen, four were fourteen, five were fifteen and five were sixteen.

Specimens of the hand-writing of Mr. Swazey were handed in on the reading of the last clause of the report.

Mr. Johnson said that Mr. Swazey had a 2nd class Normol School certificate; his moral character was good and his penmanship was excellent. He further stated that his duties would be defined at a future date.

The report as a whole was adopted.

MOTIONS.

Mr. Peck asked that Mr. Diamond's motion be laid over.—Granted.

Mr. Peck moved seconded by Mr. Diamond that a Committee be appointed to amend and consolidate the rules of the Board.—Carried.

Mr. Northcott moved that the school taxes on that part of the town recently annexed be 5 mills instead of 10 as formerly.

Mr. Wensley asked who should receive the money from pupils who attend the High School who live outside the town.

The Secretary said the money was handed to him.

Mr. Wensley said the money should be paid to the Secretary, and he should give a certificate to that effect.

Mr. Northcott's motion was seconded by Dr. Tracy and passed.

A by-law to give effect to the motion was given notice of.

Mr. I. Diamond moved, seconded by Dr. Tracy, that the Secretary serve notice on those who do not comply with the School Act.—Carried.

Mr. Peterson gave notice of a motion for an arbitration with C. L. Coleman, with reference to a school site in Coleman Ward.—Carried.

Board adjourned.

THE NEW PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

Yesterday we announced that Mr. Hardy, M. P. P. for South Brant, had been made Provincial Secretary, and that Mr. Wood would take charge of the Treasurership. This change in the Ontario Government was rendered necessary, inasmuch as Mr. Crooks' health would not allow of his looking after the interests of two departments. The creation of a new department of the Government, that of Education, imposes no additional burden on the finances of the Province. Mr. Crooks simply occupies a position made necessary by the abolition of the office of Chief Superintendent of Education. Of the new member the *Globe* speaks as follows:—"He (Mr. Hardy) is a steady, thoughtful and sound politician, an able speaker on the House, the Court and on the stump, and is popular with his fellow members."

The Hamilton *Times* remarks:—"He will strengthen the Government both in the House and the country, and prove himself in the future, as in the past, an able upholder of the principles of the Liberal party."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

TUESDAY, March 13th.

Two Bills, one establishing a Court of Maritime Jurisdiction and the other amending the Insolvency Act, were read a second time.

The Minister of Customs introduced certain resolutions amending the Customs Act, which caused a discussion as to the value upon which duty should be charged. The Government action secures the imposition of duty on the actual value.

After recess the adjourned debate on the tariff question was resumed by Mr. Fleming. He was followed by Messrs. McCallum, Metcalf, Oliver, Rochester, Masson and McDougall (Elgin).

Mr. Mills then moved the adjournment of the debate, and the House rose. He will have the floor on Thursday.

FROM NEW BRUNSWICK.

Special to the Ontario.

St. John, N. B., March 14.—The Provincial Government decided not to make any contract with any railway company under the Subsidy Act for one year.

The House of Assembly voted down by a large majority the proposal to erect new legislative buildings at Fredericton.

By a fire on Smyth street yesterday, 7 families were turned out of a 3 story tenement house, owned by George Moore, tinsmith, in which there were also two shops. About $800 insurance.

The body of a man named Moore was found yesterday at Waldford Station terribly mangled by an express train passing south running over him. He had fallen from the pullman car of the express train going north, and had been killed. He was an agent of an oil Co. in Boston; had $5,000 on his person and a through ticket from Liverpool to Boston.

Neil Taylor, arrested as accessory to the murder of Tierney at Sussex, was found not guilty.

An inquest into the fire and loss of life on Prince Wm. St. is proceeding. Nothing new developed.

—A dwelling house belonging to Henry Charman at Guelph was destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. Insured for one thousand dollars in the Waterloo Mutal, which covers the loss.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

E. A. McDOWELL.....MANAGER.

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 14,

THIRD NIGHT OF THE

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From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

First production in this Theatre of *Shakespere's Grand Historical Scotch Tragedy*

MACBETH.

Which will be produced with

LOCKE'S BEAUTIFUL MUSIC!
CHORUS OF WITCHES,
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BATTLE AXES, SPEARS,
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Made expressly for this production at the Academy of Music, Montreal, at a cost of $500.

MR. NEIL WARNER in his great impersonation of MACBETH, in which character he has No Superior on the Stage.

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As performed at the Union Square Theatre, New York, for an entire season.

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5; Upper $4.
Orchestra and Parquette Chairs.....75c
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BELLEVILLE,

ON WEDNESDAY 21ST

Inst. Farmers of Hastings and Prince Edward, now is your time to obtain a good price for your Fat Cattle, as Buyers are expected from the East and West.

W. A. FOSTER,
Mayor of Belleville.
March 14, 1877. d&w

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The Malicious Report of the

DEATH AND BURIAL

—OF—

CHEAP JOHN!

Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is

AGAIN IN THE FIELD,

AND WILL

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Against High Prices!

At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of

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SUGAR, 13 lbs. for $1.00; Rice 4c per lb.; Currants 7c per lb.; Coffee 18c per lb; Good Japan Tea 20c per lb, Barley 4c per lb; Raisins 8c per lb; Sardines 12c per box; Canned Fruit 15c per can; Choice Pickles 15c per bottle; Tobacco 30c per lb; Cigars $15 per 1,000; Choice Syrups 40c to 70c per gal; Soap at almost nothing

DRY GOODS:

UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Steamloom 5c per yard; Wincey 8c per yard; Lustres 12c per yd; Prints 5c per yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Tins 3c per paper; Flannels 18c per yard; Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All-Wool Shawls $2.25.

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ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4. Boy's Complete Suits $2.50; Hats and Caps almost given away.

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TERMS CASH, and No Second Price.

Remember the New Store, Robertson's Block, next door to the Red Front Store, where

CHEAP JOHN

IS HIMSELF AGAIN.

Belleville, March 14, 1877.

NOTICE.

T. WALTERS,

RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the

FIRST OF APRIL, 1877

If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.

Belleville, March 10, 1877. [d2w-4tw

TO LET.

THE Store formerly occupied by Rees Price. These premises have been occupied by Mr. Price for 10 years. Possession immediately. Apply to

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March 14, 1877 t.

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A T about 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, March 10, between Pardy's Hardware Store and Linklater's Tin Store, $23 in CASH Any party returning the same, or giving information that will lead to its recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

FRED. GUNTHER,
Birrell's Axe Factory.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to

FRIDAY, the 16th MARCH

for the furnishing of SEATS and DESKS for the Separate School House, West Belleville. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES McGUIRE,
Chairman of Supplies.
March 12, 1877. 5t

TO LET.

A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, Stable, Out-Buildings, &c., all in good repair. Also large Garden, situated two and a half miles from Belleville, next lot to Cemetery.

Apply to JACOB HICKS.

Belleville, March 12, 1877. d&w1w

Post Office Block!

AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED " "
PLAIN " "
SPATTERED " "

FROM 7 Cents.

SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 13, 1877.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.

Witness—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

ELEPHANT CLOTHING STORE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

Children's Clothing a Specialty.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.

March 12, 1877.

NOTICE

TO

MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand

SUPERIOR SAP PANS, BUCKETS AND SPOUTS

at very moderate prices. Call and examine for ourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER,
Central Tin Shop.

WHEN IT COMES

(Spring we refer to)

Your want will be 'FELT'

We have prepared for all such wants!

Having just opened a magnificent assortment of newest London and New York Shapes in Round Crowned Stiff Hats, manufactured for us.

WM. JOHNSON & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS for SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the uneasiness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf

Grand Junction Railway Co.

THE adjourned General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Grand Junction Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business, will take place on

Saturday, 17th day of March,

1877, at the Company's Office, in the Town of Belleville, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the By-Law passed at the last meeting to that effect.

D. B. ROBERTSON,
Sec'y G. J. Ry. Co.

Belleville, Feb. 26, 1877. 2aw2w

NEW SPRING STOCK!

—OF—

BOOTS AND SHOES,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE KINGSTON

enitentiary Boot & Shoe Store

CONSISTING OF

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S

Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of

Gents' Walking BOOTS,

Viz., THE CLANDESBOYE & ALEXIS,

ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,

All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash.

No. 367 FRONT STREET,

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.

Mar. 14th, 1877.

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style Surpass'd by None.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, INFANTS' ROBES, CLOAKS, APRONS, &c., &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson,

Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hal

GOOD GOODS

CHEAP.

—o—

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

—o—

CLEARING SALE.

—o—

MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St.,

BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 7th, 1877.

GO TO

A. W. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

CLEARING SALE

At Store No. 351 Front Street, Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention:

Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets, Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces, Sewed Muslin Embroideries, Washing Trimmings in great variety, silk and Worsted Embroidery Braids, Silk & Velvet Ribbons, Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk and Wool Barege, Colored Silk Velvets and Satins, Berlin Wools, Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns, *Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety* Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.

JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

TENDERS

RECEIVED by the undersigned up to THURSDAY the 15th of MARCH, (noon) for the construction and completion of "Building," as per plans and specifications at the office of John Ferguson, Esq., Hotel St.

FRED. S. HAINES,
338 Front St

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6.10 p m
d .. .. 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12.05 p m
3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
Mixed, ... 9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 14.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—Four tramps were accommodated with lodgings at the Police station last night.

APPOINTMENT.—Mr. G. E. Henderson, Q. C. has been appointed to conduct the Crown business at the Spring Assizes of Peel, Ontario, Northumberland and Durham, Victoria and Peterboro.

WELL PUT.—An exchange thinks "it is almost time that some vigorous man should take hold of the religious newspapers and shake the swindling advertisements out of them."

CATTLE FAIR.—The Easter fat cattle fair will be held on Wednesday next on the Market Square—a notice which we hope all interested will govern themselves by. In the absence of Mr. T. C. Wallbridge Mayor Foster will manage the fair.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

THEATRICAL.—Harry Lindley is experiencing the fickleness of fortune, in his eastern tour, and he exemplifies the adage that tells us "The way of the showman is perverse and troublesome."—The Holmans are now on an eastern whirl.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE SHAUGHRAUN.—A Grand Complimentary Benefit will be tendered to Mr. E. A. McDowell on Friday evening, on which occasion he will appear in his favorite character of "Conn," in the beautiful Irish drama of "The Shaughraun." The scenery has been telegraphed for, and will arrive from Montreal to-morrow.

GOING TO OSWEGO.—Robert Downey, of Downey Bros., Napanee, will shortly take up his residence in Oswego and will enter into partnership with a prominent business firm in that city. By his departure, Napanee will lose one of her most enterprising citizens.

AN EXCELLENT APPOINTMENT.—George H. Pope has been appointed Manager of the Bay of Quinte and Oswego Navigation Company. George is very popular, and as he is a capable and efficient business man, will make a competent official. A better appointment could not have been made.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The members of Mrs. Jones' Mutual Improvement Class will give a literary entertainment, in the basement of the Bridge Street, C. M. Church, on Monday evening, 19th. inst., to commence at 7:30 p. m. Admission only ten cents. A good programme has been prepared for the occasion, and those who attend will certainly get the worth of their money.

THAT YACHTING CHALLENGE.—Henry Aykroyd has accepted the challenge of Cuthbert and has stipulated that the race must be for $500 or $1,000 and to be sailed in the vicinity of Toronto. It is about time the owners of the Katie Gray, Surprise or Peerless took some action in the premises and if they dont choose to do so to grant others the privilege of entering their boats. The agony cant be endured much longer.

THE TEN LOST TRIBES.—We observe by our western exchanges that the "ten lost tribes" are receiving considerable attention at the hands of ministers, lecturers, village schoolmasters and would-be orators. We are now inclined to think that the public has had a surfeit of this subject, and therefore ask them to give us a rest. The question will never be settled till the tribes are found.

ENTERTAINMENT.—A musical and literary entertainment will take place in the chapel of Albert University on Friday evening next, under the auspices of the Adelphian Society of Alexandra College. A programme embracing vocal and instrumental selections, recitations, readings, essays &c., has been arranged for the occasion. As the entertainments given at the College are invariably interesting and attractive, and as Friday evening's event is more than ordinarily so, we confidently anticipate a large audience.

VACATIONS IN RURAL SCHOOLS.—The new School Act now in force provides that:—"There shall be two vacations during the year for Public Schools. The summer vacation shall be from the eighth day of July to the seventeenth day of August, inclusive; the winter vacation from the twenty-fourth day of December to the second day of January, inclusive." Good Friday is a statutory holiday in schools. The new Act makes no change in the holidays and vacations of Public and High Schools in cities and towns, and in incorporated villages where High Schools exist.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

WEDNESDAY, March 14

ASSAULT.

The case of Peter Bain vs. Edward Post and Nathaniel Post was laid over till Friday.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The Shaughraun Company made their second appearance in the above house last evening, to a very large audience, embracing many from Napanee and elsewhere Nearly every available seat was occupied by the time the curtain rose, except a few of the Orchestra Chairs. As the play (Pique) was produced here for the first time, expectations ran high for a rare evening's enjoyment, so much having been heard of it. The heroine of the piece was Miss Affie Weaver, whose rendition of the character of *Mabel Renfrew*—a young lady of charming appearance and manner, whose courtiers are numbered by the dozen and who after refusing many, at last marries, Captain Standish, for whom she entertained no love—was perfect in every respect, and won the admiration of the entire audience. Her wardrobe was exceedingly beautiful, and of great variety. Mr. E. A. McDowell in his usual natural way filled the character of *Captain Standish*, the ardent lover and unhappy husband, until the loss and restoration of their child, smooths over the breach, and happiness and contentment reigns supreme in their household. Mr. Neil Warner made an excellent *Matthew Standish*—the old millionaire whose word was law,—but judging from what we have seen of him, this is not the kind of character suited to an artist of his standing. Mr. Morris was, as usual, a favorite, his rendition of *Sammy Dymple*,—a young swell—creating much merriment. Mrs. E. A. McDowell as *Mary Standish* made a good hit, and at once makes herself a favorite with the audience. The rest of the characters were well sustained, every member seeming to be well up in his or her part. Our citizens will this evening have an opportunity of witnessing the tragedy of *Macbeth*, in a style never before witnessed here. All of Locke's wierd music will be sung by a chorus of 20 voices, the Costumes, Spears, Helmets, Battle Axes &c., have been brought from Montreal at considerable expense. Mr. Neil Warner who will appear in the title role is said to have no superior in this character. The parts assigned this sterling actor the past two nights were far below his standard, tragedy being his *forte*.

SPRING ASSIZES.

TUESDAY, March 13.

McGillivray vs. Smith.—Ejectment to recover possession of lot 4 in 11th Concession of the Township of Lake. Verdict for Plff. for 1s. Dickson for Plff.; Jellett for Deft.

Hazelton vs. Cook.—Ejectment to recover possession of north three quarters of lot 14 in the 3rd Concession of Thurlow. Verdict for Plff. for 1s. Jellett for Plff; Cook in person.

Brook *et al vs.* Anderson.—Ejectment to recover possession of west half of lot 25, in the 3rd Concession of Hungerford. Verdict for Plff. for 1s. Dickson for Plff.; Stone for Deft.

Brooke *et al vs* Guyette.—Ejectment to recover possession of North part of lot 13, in the 3rd Concession of Hungerford Verdict for Plff. for 1s. Dickson for Plff.; Flint for Deft.

WEDNESDAY, March, 14.

Squier *et al vs.* McCabe.—This case, a matter af account between the parties was commenced this morning and is still at hearing. Hon. L. Wallbridge & C. Francis for Plffs.; Mr. Falconbridge for Deft.

A TERRIBLE STORY.

Lucy Hooper's Paris Letter to New York World.

The bright sunshine and balmy air tempted me to lay aside my writing and go forth to enjoy them. Leaning on my husband's arm, I was walking on the Rue de la Paix, about one block from the Vendome column, and was looking up at the column itself, admiring the effect produced by the dark bronze of the shaft against the gold-flushed hue of the sunset sky, the hour being about 5 in the afternoon. Suddenly down the face of the column fell a human form with white and black draperies fluttering in the air; it struck the wreath of immortelles that surrounds the column at its juncture with the pedestal, and rebounded with such force that it was thrown clear over the railing that surrounds the base and fell into the centre of the outside pavement.

I could not realize for a moment that I had really beheld that awful spectacle,—a human being self-hurled into eternity,—but such was indeed the meaning of what I had seen. In a moment the prostrate figure was surrounded by a dense crowd. The emotion of the spectators was extreme, and one old lady who had chanced to be walking along the Rue de la Paix near me burst out crying in her agitation. At my solicitation my companion went forward, very reluctantly, it must be confessed, to learn the particulars of the horrible event. The victim was a young and neatly dressed woman. She lay prone on the pavement as she had fallen, but no trace of blood or mutilation was visible, as one of the bystanders had drawn her waterproof cloak around her shattered head, that having been the point that first struck the pavement. Her shoes, a neat pair of black lasting boots, had been forced from her feet by the fall, showing clean white stockings of a quality never worn in France by the working classes. One of her garters, also jerked off by the fall, lay near her—a dainty blue silk affair, with a gilded clasp. She had, as I afterwards learned, gone most deliberately to work to execute her purpose. She had concealed a camp-stool under her waterproof before making the ascent. Arrived at the top, she had profitted by a moment when the guide was busied in pointing out certain objects of interest in the view to another party, had then passed to the opposite side, had placed her camp-stool there, mounted upon it, and so contrived to clamber over the high railing. I passed by the spot an hour later. The body had long since been removed, and the crowd was gone; but a few bystanders still lingered under the darkening sky, looking alternately up at the summit of the gigantic shaft that towered above them and down at two crimson stains upon the pavement, upon which gravel had been hastily strewed, but which still revealed a dusky and ominous red through the pebbles and sand that tried to hide them.

THE AGREEABLE BOY.

From the Detroit Free Press.

In these hard times, when a boy gets into a good situation, it makes one feel sad to see him fall and lose all his bright prospect. After weeks of weary waiting a Detroit boy secured a situation in an insurance office the other day, and his employer said to him:

"Now, James, you must treat all callers alike. Be pleasant to every one. Say that it is a nice day, and so forth, and be respectful to man, woman or child."

The boy had sole charge at certain hours and his first caller was an old man whose barn had been burned down.

"Come right in—take a chair—nice day—hope your family are well," smiled James.

"What are you giving me, you young upstart!" muttered the old gent.

"Be seated—growing weather—wheat coming on finly—come right up to the stove," continued the boy.

"Don't give me any of your chin, sir! I know what I want, and I know what would do you good."

James is a boy who means to do right and obey instructions. He felt cast down, but he smiled at every new caller, and tried to give them a fireside feeling. Yesterday morning as he was setting the room to rights a man walked in with about a bushel of snow on his boots and a hat full down the back of his neck.

"Nice day," said the good boy—"crops promise well—take a chair—make yourself at home—folks not in yet."

"Boy, don't you give me any of your sass," warned the man.

"No, sir—nice day—sit right down."

"Are you hired here to grin like a monkey, and to chatter like a parrot?" demanded the man.

"No, sir—fine day, sir—spring weather seems to be opening right up lively.

"I've a good mind to make your heels break your neck, you saucy fledgling, but I'll call by and by and see that your are discharged. It has come to pretty pass when a boy of your size talks the way you do!"

When the insurance folks came down the key was in the door, but the boy was gone. On the table was a tear-stained note reading;

"I've got the hedake the awflest kind, and I'm sick to my stomuk, and ma says the business is killing me, and I guess I'll resine. No more—James."

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

RESCUING PRISONERS.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The *Herald's* Columbia (S.C.) special says a negro mob rescued from jail the negroes arrested at Florence, Darlington County, upon a warrant issued by a Justice appointed by Hampton.

DEATH SENTENCE COMMUTED.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 14.—The sentence of Henry Lenken, who was to have been hung to-day for murdering a cattle dealer, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ELECTIONS.

NEW YORK, March 14.—A *Times* special claims the election of all three Republican Congressmen in New Hampshire, and a Republican majority in the House of from 60 to 70. The *World* and *Sun* claim one Democratic Congressman elected.

THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY.

The *Herald's* Washington special states on undoubted authority that when the President has proper guarantees of peace he will withdraw the troops from the Southern States.

WON'T CONSENT.

Judge Mackay is authorized to state that Hampton will not consent to a new election.

HAYES HAPPY.

The *World's* Washington special says the President is much pleased with the endorsement of his reconciliation policy by colored men from the South. He informed a Florida delegation that if it did not work out the intended good he would alter it.

CAMERON WON'T OPPOSE.

Ex-Senator Cameron assured the President yesterday that he did not intend to oppose the Administration.

THE PLAN MATURING.

The *Sun's* Washington report says Hayes' plan of action regarding the Southern States is maturing. He proposes first to endeavor to compromise matters by personal negotiations, with representatives of rival State Governments now here. If this fails, he will send a Commission South; and if this proves obortive will withdraw the troops.

OFFENDED PARTISANS.

Illinois Congressmen yesterday urged the appointment of Mr. Phillips as Postmaster at Springfield, Ill., on the ground that the present P. M. was a Democrat. Hayes said; "I can't remove anybody for that. You must show he is incompetent." The visitors left with scarcely a show of politeness. Hayes has taken a like course in regard to others.

COMMISSION WITHDRAWN.

The Commission issued by Grant to Tyler, as collector at Buffalo, in place of Mr. Daniels, was withdrawn from the Treasury Department yesterday, just as it was about to become effective. The appointment is consequently suspended.

A NOVELTY.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Yesterday for the first time in 16 years there was a majority of Democrats in the Senate.

A LARGE RETAINER.

NEW YORK, March 14.—It is reported that Evarts received $50,000 retainer in the Vanderbilt will case. The lawyers on both sides declare that the withdrawal of the contest was a surprise.

EUROPEAN.

A HARSH ORDER.

LONDON, March 14.—A recent order from the German authorities that men who formerly served in the French army should quit Alsace and Lorraine immediately or accept German nationality, will be brought under the notice of the Reichstag by deputies from these Provinces. The order has been modified to offer better terms to those willing to become Germans. The order affects five thousand families.

—The fog-bell placed by the Dominion Government at Quaco, or Saint Martin's, in the county of St. John, N. B., was put in operation on the 15th inst.

—An out-building owned by Pieper & Hogg, containing about $3,000 worth of dressed flax and flax seed, was totally consumed at Lucan on Friday evening. Supposed incendiarism. No insurance.

—Such a feeling of alarm exists in consequence of the large number of fires recently in Kingston that public investigations are asked for.

This and That.

—The sleighing was never better than at present in London.

—A flour store on Joseph Street, Ottawa, owned by Galarneau, was destroyed by fire last night. Loss about $1,000.

—Petroleum has been found in large quantities in Wyoming county, New York State, and numbers of wells are sunk in and around Rock City.

—The Commissioners appointed to investigate the financial affairs of Belleville have completed their labors, and will shortly prepare a report upon the same.

Married.

By the Rev. W. Tomblin at the residence of Mr. George Hall, 4th. Con. Sidney, brother in law of the bride, MR. GEORGE REDDICK of Belleville to MISS MARGRET DOWNS of Sidney.

Died.

Of Diptheria, at Stirling, Jan. 10th MYRA, aged 8 years and on March 10th, HENRY C. BAKER, aged 12 years, youngest children of Mr. & Mrs. L. G. Baker.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 14.

Greenbacks buying at...	94¼ to 94¾	
" selling at...	95¼ to 95½	
American Silver buying at...	45	
British Silver...	15	
Sterling exchange...	84¼	

Gold opened at 104⅞; closed at 104⅞.

THE PROBLEM OF LIFE.

The Irishman who "read" the newspaper wrong side up, when asked what news, replied, "Big storm at sea; ships up side down," Equally understood are the works and dissertation that treat upon those vital questions whereon the success of failure of every person's life. To many, life is a sealed book, and though they live to old age, they die ignorant of the power that lies dormant within them. The recent work, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser;" from the pen of R.V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., discusses these matters fully and ably in their various phases. Price $1.50. Nearly 1,000 pages, illustrated, bound in cloth and gilt, and about 100,000 copies have already been sold. Address the Author, R. V. Pierce M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

A common cough or cold should never be trifled with: often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Waters," a curative which has sustained its reputation for over twenty years. They are always efficacious and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health. Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

READ THIS TWICE.—Five to thirty drops of THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL, will cure common Sore Throat. It never fails in Croup. It will cure a Cold or Cough in twenty-four to forty-eight hours. One bottle has cured Bronchits of eigh years standing; recent cases are cured in three to six days. It has restored the voice where the person had not spoken above a whisper in five years. As an outward application in all cases of pain or lameness, nothing like it has ever been known. One bottle will cure any case of Lame Back or Crick in the Back. For disease of the Spine and Contraction of the Muscles it is unequaled. In Rheumatic or any other pain the first application does you good. It stops Ear Ache and the pain of a Burn in three minutes and altogether the best and cheapest medicine ever offered to the peple the cheapest, because it takes so little to do you good. It is composed of six of the best oils known, and nothing but oils. Is worth its weight in gold Why not buy it to day?—A. B. DES ROCHERTS, assistant postmaster, Arthabaskaville, P. Q., writes:—"Thirteen years ago I was seized by a severe attack of rheumatism in the head, from which I have nearly constantly suffered. After having used "Thomas Eclectric Oil" for nine days, bathing the forehead, I have been completly cured, and have only used half a bottle. This I am certify under oath if you wish."—Rev. J. MALLORY, Wyoming, N. Y., writes "Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil cured me of Cronchits in one week. Dealers all over the country say, "We have never sold a medicine that has given such complete satisfaction as this."

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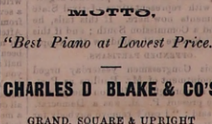

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Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$228,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,718 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

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(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
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BUY YOUR WIFE
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IT WILL BE SURE TO PLEASE HE
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The celebrated perfected spectacles and Eye Glasses, manufactured by Lazarus & Morris, and for which we have the sole agency are gaining golden opinions from all those who have tried them. If you want to reserve your sight in extreme old age, use these and no other.

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BEST REFINED
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A NEW THING.
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BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
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MR. WM. JOHNSTON
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Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
DOWNEY & POPE.
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IMPERIAL MEASURES
OF
Best Make and Material,
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OF ALL KINDS,
CHEAPER FOR CASH!
Than Anywhere else,
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On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the
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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
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CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, Loss OF MEMORY, UNIVERSAL LASSITUDE, PAIN IN THE BACK, DIMNESS OF VISION, PREMATURE OLD AGE, and many other diseases that lead to INSANITY or CONSUMPTION, and a PREMATURE GRAVE, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.
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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.
This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.
Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.
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FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
DIAMOND BRAND
OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

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BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.
ALL STYLES
—DONE—
Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously
AT THIS OFFICE.
JAMES J. LANDY,
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BAY CITY
MABRLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
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and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
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J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

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MADE TO ORDER,
By an Experienced Workman,
AT WALLACE'S
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WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.
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FRESH HADDOCK.
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BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
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T. C. TILLINGHAST
Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,
WORSTED COATINGS,
SPRING OVERCOATINGS,
IN GREAT VARIETY
GIVE ME A CALL.
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FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,
Every Kind of Fish in Season,
From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
Received this day—SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS
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Market Square,
April 18th, 1876

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JUST RECEIVED
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MOSS CANDY.
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HOW TO SAVE
A DOCTOR'S BILL
GET ONE OF
Jewett's Patent Crystal Spring Filter,
Acknowledged the only complete Filter in the World.
Nothing is so destructive to health, and the disarrangement of the human system, as drinking Impure Water, It is one great cause of all diseases the human frame is liable to. The Jewell Filter will effectually purify Rain, River, Pond, or Canal Water, making the most IMPURE WATER WHOLESOME and SWEET.
While for Cheapness, Durability, Simplicity and Efficiency they stand unrivaled.
Come and see them.
FOR SALE BY
THOS LINKLATER,
Front Street, Belleville.

HOOEY & SON
BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,
Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS
We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

Christmas Goods.
500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,
TO BE SOLD AT COST
Within the Next TEN DAYS
At the store of the Late
JOHN TEMPLETON
FRONT STREET.
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E. F. POTTS,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.
E. F. POTTS has established a Liquor Depot in Bogart's New Block, opposite the New Market, where he will keep constantly on hand a Supply of the Choicest Brands of FOREIGN and DOMESTIC LIQUORS, which will be sold at
WHOLESALE RATES CHEAP
As the whole stock has been laid in for Cash.
Dealers will do well to give him a call, as he intends confining himself exclusively to the Jobbing and Wholesale Trade.
Belleville, Feb. 24, 1875. wly

MARRIAGE OF GREAT MEN.

Byron married Miss Millbank to get money to pay his debts. It turned out a bad shift.

Robert Burns married a farm girl with whom he fell in love while they worked together. He was irregular in his life, and committed the most serious mistakes in conducting his domestic affairs, but at heart he was one of the noblest of men.

Milton married the daughter of a country squire, and lived with her but a short time. He was an austere literary recluse, while she was a rosy, romping country lass that could not endure the restraint imposed upon her, so they separated. Subsequently, however, she returned, and they lived tolerably happy together.

Shakespeare loved and wedded a farmer's daughter, a good deal older than himself. She was faithful to her vows, but we could hardly say the same of the bard himself.

Washington married a woman with two children. It is enough to say she was worthy of him and they lived together as married people should live—in perfect harmony with each other, but having no children born to them.

John Adams married the daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman. Her father objected on account of John being a lawyer.

John Howard, the great philanthropist, married his nurse. She was altogether beneath him in social life and intellectual capacity, and besides this, 52 while he was but 25 years of age. He would not take "No" for an answer, and they were married and lived happily until she died.

Peter the Great of Russia married a peasant. She made an excellent wife and a sagacious empress.

Humboldt married a poor girl because he loved her. Of course they were very happy.

It is not generally known that Andrew Jackson married a lady whose husband was still living. She was an uneducated but amiable woman, and was most devotedly attached to the old warrior and statesman.

WASHINGTON PETRIFIED.

AN EXTRAORDINARY DISCOVERY AT MOUNT VERNON.

Washington (Feb. 15) correspondence of the San Francisco Chronicle.

We visited Washington's tomb to-day at Mount Vernon, Va., some twelve miles from this city, down the Potomac, and we had the unusual privilege of beholding the mortal remains of the immortal Washington. Visitors to the tomb will remember that the west wall of the same has for years been in a falling condition and in great need of repair. A few days since part of it tumbled into the tomb, completely covering the sarcophagus of Washington, and also that of Martha Washington. In order to repair the damage in a competent manner, it was found necessary to remove them a few feet from their resting place. The one containing the remains of Martha Washington was removed first, but attracted no attention. But the unusual weight of the one containing the remains of Washington aroused the curiosity of the official who was superintending the work of removal, and it was decided to open the sarcophagus to ascertain the cause. This was done, and the remains were found to be petrified, in fact a solid stone resembling a statue, the features perfectly natural, with the exception of the eyes and ears, no trace of which can be seen. The body is of a dark leathery color, and may be said to be of a soft sandstone, which would probably break should an attempt be made to remove it from the sarcophagus. Edward Baker, an aged colored man, who has resided upon the farm since he was a boy, and who assisted in removing the remains from the old tomb to the present one, informs us that it is thirty-eight years since their last removal. At that time they had rested in the old tomb thirty-eight years, and were exhumed in a state of preservation beyond all expectation, being a solid compact mass, with the skin drawn tightly to the bones, petrification no doubt having commenced its work. The repairs to the tomb will be completed to-day, and the sarcophagus is not likely to be opened again for a century to come, unless, indeed, in the case of an accident, as in the present instance, and petrification will complete its work, and the remains of the immortal Washington will then be as enduring as his memory is dear.

AN EXTENSIVE ENTERPSISE.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

(From the Citizen.)

For some time past it has been rumored that a scheme was on foot to form a company for the purpose of purchasing the saw mills at the Chaudiere and Hull, as well as the major portion of the timber limits on the Ottawa and Gatineau Rivers. The moving spirit in the matter is Mr. John Mather, a shrewd business man, who has managed the business of Messrs. Gilmour & Co. in this district for many years. It is said that his visit to Europe last summer was in connection with the scheme, and that while there the speculation was presented in such a favorable light that he experienced no difficulty in forming a company with a capital of

TWENTY-FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

Among the members of the company it is understood that the name of Sir John Rose figures prominently. The speculation is certainly a large one, and the introduction of that amount of money into the Ottawa Valley will brighten the future prospects of the city. It is reasonable to suppose that after disposing of their milling establishments and limits, the lumber kings will seek a new field for investment. With the great mineral wealth that surrounds us on every side, and which requires but capital to work and make it yield excellent returns, it is only natural to suppose that a large proportion of the capital realized by the sale will be utilized in the development of these resources.

FIRST NEGOTIATIONS.

It is understood that the company are now negotiating for the purchase of Messrs. Gilmour & Co.'s mills, below Hull, and also for three thousand square miles of limits. Arrangements had been almost completed previous to the unfortunate disappearance of Mr. John Gilmour, since which time, it is said, no action has been taken.

THE PHONOGRAPHIC ART.

Judge Mackenzie is reported to have spoken as follows of the necessity for professional short-hand writers, when addressing the Grand Jury of York Co. lately:—

"We have several respectable professions amongst us in Ontario—such as exist in all civilised countries—the profession of

the law, the profession of medicine, and others. I hope the time is not very far distant when enough of the young men of the country, the rising generation of the Province, will be educated and qualified for this most useful and serviceable branch of human learning, and that the short-hand reporters will be formed into and acknowledged as one of the learned and honorable professions of the Province, as one of the great agencies for the promotion of useful knowledge and the advancement of civilization."

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 15.

THE London *Advertiser*, referring to the action of the ladies of Toronto in petitioning the Dominion Parliament to enact a law making seduction a criminal offence, very truly remarks :—

"If ladies in 'society' were less ready to receive into their drawing rooms men of predigate lives, a wholesome influence might be exerted."

YESTERDAY afternoon while Lord Dufferin was ascending the stairs leading to Topley's photograph rooms he slipped and falling received such injuries about the head as to render him insensible for a time. He was carried into the studio and immediately attended by Dr. Tupper, and was afterwards driven to Rideau Hall.

IT is understood that Dr. Tupper will follow Mr. Mills on the tariff question, and that Mr. Cartwright will close the debate. These three speeches will be exhaustive and well worth careful study by the respective parties. Another evening will probably close the discussion. The Conservative organs are anticipating a Government majority of 50. Quite enough.

A MEMBER of the firm of Chaffey Bros., ship-builders of Kingston, has been urging upon the Finance Minister the necessity for amending the proposed duty on tubing. He thinks that unless the duty is removed the firm of which he is a member will have to take their works across the border, as vessels are admitted into Canada free, whilst the material used in their construction is subject to duty.

THE Liberal-Conservatives of South Brant are wise in their day and generation. The appointment of Mr. Hardy as the sixth Minister in the Ontario Cabinet took them by surprise, but they have concluded that their interests will be best served by allowing Mr. Hardy to be re-elected by acclamation. Their reasons for adopting such a course are, that instead of being a source of strength to the Government he will prove a source of weakness. Mr. Hardy was elected by acclamation three years ago.

MR. MACKENZIE takes advice from his Chief Engineer when making purchases or contracting for work on the public works of the country, and for this he is censured by the Opposition. When the Interoloonial was being constructed a few years ago, Mr. Fleming advised the gentlemen at the head of affairs to have the cuttings made wide enough to obviate the necessity of snow-sheds being constructed. His advice was not heeded and the result was—$200,000 were wasted on snow-sheds which entail an annual expense of nearly $50,000 without meeting the public requirements.

OUR despatches from Washington yesterday contained this :—

"President Hayes was waited on by Illinois Congressmen who urged the appointment of Mr. Phillips as Postmaster at Springfield, Ill., on the ground that the present Postmaster was a Democrat. Hayes is reported to have replied : 'I cannot remove anybody for that. You must show he is incompetent.'"

The doctrine, "to the victors belong the spoils," was supposed to find practical endorsation in the United States. A party triumph there at the polls is little less than a revolution. An army of office-holders go out, and another army of equal magnitude come it. If the above information be true, President Hayes has indeed inaugurated an era of reform in the Civil Service far more radical than was thought possible. He refuses to dismiss a Democratic Postmaster simply because he is a Democrat. Incompetency is the only charge that the President will listen to when dismissals from office are urged. Should this new doctrine be faithfully observed party Government in the United States will be ruined. Subsequent developments will be watched with interest.

SOMEWHAT SUSPICIOUS.

A return has just been brought down showing the amounts paid for printing and stationery for the Post Office Department in 1875, and partly for 1876. We find the following items :

T. & R. White, of the Montreal *Gazette*, furnished stationery to the amount of $37.50 ; The *Globe* in 1874 is down for $59, in 1875 for $109, and in 1876 $118. The Hamilton *Times* is down for $30 for 1876, and the Halifax *Reporter* in 1875 is down for $4,467, and the Halifax *Citizen* is down again for $10,174, and in 1876 for $14,198. The Cape Breton *Times* in 1876 gets $131 in 1874 the St. John's *Daily News* is down for $3,218 ; the *Freeman* for $463; the St. John's *Globe*, $232 ; the New Brunswick *Reporter*, $73; the Fredericton *Farmer* $42. In 1875 the *Freeman* is down for $7,981; the *Reporter* for $33; the *Farmer* for $17; the St. John's *Globe*, $16; the *Daily News*, $8. In 1876 the *Freeman* is down again for $10,202, and the *Daily News* for $81.

It will be observed that during 1875 6 the Halifax *Citizen* received $24,372 for services rendered the Post Office Department, and the St. John *Freeman*, during the same period and for similar services, received $18,183. These figures may represent legitimate business transactions and be perfectly reasonable as they stand, but they are somewhat suspicious, nevertheless. Why were two papers in the Maritime Provinces entitled to so great a patronage in preference to others of equal and superior merit elsewhere in the Dominion? Mr. Huntington must explain.

EDUCATIONAL MATTERS.

(CONTINUED.)

The Minister of Education mentions the satisfactory decrease in the number of log-built school houses during late years, and the substitution of stone, brick and frame structures of superior accommodation. The increase in number of school houses during the year was 31 ; and the whole number reported was 4,888, of which 1,232 were brick, 492 stone, 2,117 frame and 1,017 log. Of the above school sizes, 4,590 were freehold and 268 rented. The average time of keeping schools open, including the holidays and Sundays, was eleven months and eleven days, in 1875. The number of schools in which prizes are reported as having been distributed to reward and encourage meritorious pupils was 1,888. The maps and globes, and most of the other apparatus used in schools, are now manufactured in Ontario.

WE now quote from Mr. Johnston's report of the state of education in South Hastings:

"The number of Schools under my juradiction is 81. Twenty in Sidney, 3 in Trenton, 18 in Thurlow, 23 in Tyendinaga, 1 in Mill Point, and 19 in Hungerford. Thirteen assistant teachers are employed, making the number of teachers in the Public Schools, including Belleville 94. Of the 94 teachers employed in 1875, one had a First-class Provincial Certificate, 15, Second-class Provincial, 74, Third-class, and 4 had Special Certificates. Sixty-eight (68) teachers have held their positions for several years, viz: 8 of the Second-class, and 60 of the Third-class.

"The number of children between the ages of 5 and 16, as sent in on trustees' supplementary reports, was for Sidney, 1,362; Thurlow, 1,160; Tyendinaga, 1,347; Hungerford, 1,347; Mill Point, 297; and for Trenton, 575,—making in all 6,028 children in South Hastings, which, should they all attend School, would give an average of 64 for each teacher.

"The total value of School-house, and sites was estimated at $83,407. Of this amount, Sidney, including Trenton, has $25,416; Thurlow, $21,969; Tyendinaga, including Mill Point, $26,269; and Hungerford, $10,226.

"The average time the schools were kept open was 11 months and 15 days.

"Of the 81 School houses, 33 are brick, 10 stone, 35 frame, and 3 are built of hewn logs."

Speaking of the Belleville Schools, Mr. Johnston says :—

"The Schools are well supplied with maps, globes, tablets, and object-lesson cards. The trustees during the past few years have spent a good deal of money in making repairs, in erecting proper outbuildings, and in supplying the Schools with all necessary apparatus.

"The trustees will employ only the best teachers. They pay them well, and in consequence the progress made by the pupils, and the thorough teaching, have caused the trustees and people to appreciate their Schools very much. The trustees give every encouragement to scholars and teachers by frequently visiting the Schools and attending the public examinations.

"There are six male teachers whose salaries range from $750 to $650, with the exception of one assistant, who gets $300. There are twelve lady teachers, and the highest salary paid is $450, and the lowest $300.

"One of the head-teachers has a First-class Provincial Certificate, Grade A ; three have Second-class Provincial Certificates; and two have Third-class. Four of the female teachers have Normal Certificates, and one of the four has a high grade of First-class from the High School. The others have Third-class under the new law.

"I feel very much gratified with the progress made by the Schools during the past few years, and too much credit cannot be given to the trustees for doing all in their power to make them thoroughly efficient."

We shall try to find space in a future issue for some extracts from Mr. McIntosh's report for North Hastings.

Editorial Notes.

HAY has been selling in Ottawa at prices ranging from $6.50 to $10 per ton. Large quantities were brought in.

GEO. ALLAN, the fiend who threw vitriol on his wife, has been caught, and now awaits his trial in Toronto jail.

UNDERSTOOD that an Order in Council has been passed cashiering Col. Smart and dismissing him from the command of the East Durham Rifles Battalion.

AN old gentleman named Durand, 72 years of age, while ascending the stairs in St. James' School, Montreal, to attend a soiree, fell down and expired.

JACOB WELLS was drowned at Sarnia while cutting ice. He missed his footing and disappeared suddenly under the ice.

CAPT. KIRWIN has replied to Rev. Mr. Bray, by lecturing on the "Romish Church." He was enthusiastically received by an immense audience in Montreal.

FLIGHT AND DEATH.

The man supposed to be one Moore, of the Boston Oil Works, found dead at Wolfford Station on Tuesday morning turns out to be James Kingan, of the New York Produce Exchange, who also recently fled as a defaulter. He took passage at Portland in the Scandinavian, left her at Halifax and took the Intercolonial. It is now believed that he was murdered at Wolfford Station while walking on the track, stabbed behind the ear, his throat cut from ear to ear, his pocket book rifled and the body laid on the track. The cowcatcher of the down train threw the body off the track, only breaking an arm. The inquest has been adjourned. The railway authorities are instituting a thorough investigation. The murderers overlooked their victim's pistol pocket, which contained $8,700.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Hon. Mr. Mills has secured the floor for the next discussion of the tariff. His speech will be awaited with eagerness, for he understands the points at issue and is not a man to compromise with a fallacy.

—Mr. Blake's Bill to prevent gambling in public conveyances has been read a third time and passed. The consternation of the miners in British Columbia may be imagined when Mr. Bunster tells them how his manly protest was disregarded.

—Mr. Oliver contends that the manufacturers have made out no case to show that they need protection. They are doing as well as any other class of the population, and they ought to be satisfied with legitimate profits instead of asking for big dividends at the expense of their neighbors.

—Mr. Fleming, who resumed the tariff debate on Tuesday, has made a calculation to the effect that the decrease of coal oil duties and increase of tea duties, when set off against one another, will effect a saving of $1.10 to every family of five persons, though the revenue loses nothing by the readjustment. The Opposition may batter away against that policy to their heart's content. It is sound enough to resist every attack.—*London Tiser.*

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

The Act to amend the law respecting the Incorporation of Joint Stock Companies by letters patent provides that the Governor in Council may by letters patent grant a charter to not less than five persons, creating them a body corporate for no other purposes other than constructing and working railways, banking, insurance, or issuing paper money. Loan companies must have a capital of $100,000. Companies, if not loan, at least ten per cent paid up. Companies shall transmit annually to the Minister of Finance a statement in duplicate verified by oath of their president or manager, setting out the capital stock of the company, and proportion thereof paid up; assets and liabilities, amount and nature of investments, both on their own behalf and on behalf of others, and the average rate of interest derived therefrom, distinguishing the classes of securities, extent and value of lands held by them, or in respect of which they are acting as agents, and such details as to the nature and extent of the business as may be required by the Minister of Finance, and in such form and with such details as the Minister may from time to time require and prescribe. Provided that in no case shall the Company be bound to disclose the names or private affairs of any person who may have dealings with them. No company can borrow money unless $100,000 of its capital stock is paid up.

THE LOBSTER CAN CONTROVERSY.

The correspondence relating to the alleged violation of the Treaty of Washington, in other words the great lobster can controversy, has also been published. The closing despatch to Earl Derby from Sir E. Thornton is as follows :—

"WASHINGTON, 24th Jan., 1876.

"My Lord,—With reference to your Lordship's dispatch, No. 263, of the 28th ult., I have the honor to state that I have more than once urged upon Mr. Fish the justice of procuring the repeal of the tariff of the 8th of February, 1873, as far as it relates to the imposition of a duty upon the tins containing fish imported from Canada, on the ground that it was in violation of the 21st article of the Treaty of the 8th of May, 1871. Mr. Fish, admitting that the duty in question was opposed to the spirit, if not to the letter of the Treaty, had promised that he would endeavor to obtain a repeal of the objectionable enactment on the next meeting of Congress. Within the last few days I have reminded him of the matter. He excused himself for not having yet taken any steps, on the ground that owing to the multitude of requests for papers by the new House of Representatives he had been more than unusually occupied, but he has assured me that he will take on early opportunity of calling the attention of the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means to the subject. Your Lordship is, however, aware that the House of Representatives is now so constituted that it is difficult to induce it to pay attention to any representations made to it by the Executive Government, nor has it a great desire to rectify the mistakes which may have been made by the last House in which the majority was of the opposite party to that of which it is now composed.

"I have, &c.,

(Signed) "EDWARD THORNTON,

"The Earl of Derby, &c., &c."

A PUNCTUATION PUZZLE.

The following article forcibly illustrates the necessity of punctuation. It can be read in two ways, making it a very bad or a very good man, the result depending upon the manner in which it is punctuated. It is well worthy the study of teacher and pupils :—

"He is an old and experienced man in vice and wickedness he is never found in opposing the works of iniquity he takes delight in the downfall of his neighbors he never rejoices in the prosperity of any of his fellow creatures he is always ready to assist in destroying the peace of society he takes no pleasure in serving the Lord he is uncommonly diligent in sowing discord among his friends and acquaintances he takes no pride in laboring to promote the cause of Christianity he has not been negligent in endeavoring to stigmatize all public teachers he makes no effort to subdue his evil passions he tries hard to build up Satan's kingdom he lends no aid to the support of the gospel among the heathen he contributes largely to the evil adversity he pays great head to the devil he will never go to heaven he must go where he will receive the just recompense of reward."

NEW OPERA HOUSE

E. A. MCDOWELL.....MANAGER.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15,

FOURTH NIGHT OF THE

Shaughraun Comp'y

From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

The Greatest Success of the Nineteenth Century

The Grand Romantic Drama

THE TWO ORPHANS!

THE MOST THRILLING DRAMA OF THE AGE,

As performed at the Union Square Theatre, New York, for an entire season, with great success.

☞ The sole right to perform this great play in the Dominion of Canada has been purchased by Mr. McDowell of Messrs. Shook & Palmer, and will be produced with appropriate Costumes, Properties and Appointments

FRIDAY, MARCH 16th,

BENEFIT of the Popular Young Actor and Manager, Mr. E. A. McDOWELL, on which occasion he will appear in his favorite character of

CONN, THE SHAUGHRAUN.

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5 ; Upper $4.
Orchestra and Parquette Chairs.....75c
Dress Circle 50c
Gallery 25c
Pit 25c

Box plan now opened at J. C. Reynolds' tationery Store.

Notice of Dissolution.

THE Law Partnership heretofore existing under the name of Dougall & Clute, is this day dissolved by effluxion of time.

All persons indebted to the late firm will please settle their accounts with "Dougall & Clute," by whom all claims will be paid.

A. E. DOUGALL,
R. C. CLUTE.

Dated March 15th, 1877. d1w&wäi.

$50 REWARD.

THE above reward will be paid for the recovery of the Black and Tan Bitch (and the conviction of the thief) stolen from the premises of F. M. Clarke, Bridge Street, on Tuesday afternoon, March 13th inst.

J. DEMANDEVILLE.

March 15

"For Cash Only."

Having REMOVED to more COMMODIOUS PREMISES, where we will be able to greatly enlarge our business, we embrace the opportunity to announce that hereafter we shall adopt the CASH SYSTEM, now so generally in favor among business men.

Since starting in Belleville we have adhered as closely as possible to a CASH BASIS, and have found it ADVANTAGEOUS in many respects.

Our OBJECT has been to give our customers goods at the LOWEST POSSIBLE COST and have a small margin of PROFITS to live on. To carry out this plan successfully it is absolutely necessary that RETURNS should be PROMPT. Our Capital is not sufficiently large to allow a greater share of it to be made use of by outstanding accounts. We need EVERY DOLLAR properly INVESTED, and furnishing QUICK RETURNS.

By adopting a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, we shall be able to SELL OUR GOODS at a figure ensuring those who buy such ADVANTAGES as would be impossible under the CREDIT SYSTEM.

We have largely INCREASED our STOCK, and with improved facilities for MANUFACTURING will promise our customers every satisfaction in return for their MONEY.

A E FISH & CO

Belleville, March 15, 1877.

AUCTION SALES.

PARTIES desirous of securing our services for the disposal of Household Effects, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Real Estate, &c., at Auction, during the Spring Months, will oblige by notifying us as soon as possible.

Auction Sales entrusted to our care will receive the strictest personal attention. An extensive experience in conducting large Auction Sales of Merchandise and Effects enables us to guarantee satisfaction.

Prompt returns rendered immediately after each day's sales.

Cash advances on consignments of Merchandise and Effects.

DeMANDEVILLE & CO.,
Real Estate and Insurance Brokers, General Commission Merchants and Auctioneers,
Office and Auction Rooms,
No. 280 Front Street, Belleville.
March 14, 1877. d1w

REMOVED.

A. E. FISH & CO.

Have removed the

BELLEVILLE SHIRT FACT'RY CITY LAUNDRY,

And Gents Furnishing Establishment

To McAnnanny's Block,

Two Doors from Foster, Barber & Brignall, Front Street,

A. E. FISH & CO.

THANKS

To the Good People of Belleville,

AND vicinity for past favors and liberal patronage. No more fading Photographs. A new era in our noble art. J. W. Boyce, who has been so successful for a number of years in this city, will soon take a new name and bring before this generous community, a late and new discovery by Mr. Lambert, the genius of one of the sons of France, the birth of Degurre, the first ray of our art. This new discovery that we are about to bring before you is acknowledged by all Europe to be the greatest stride since the era of our profession. Without hesitation these pictures are imperishable, (so far as fading is concerned) and are equal to engravings for durability. As to finish, it is like glass itself. This process is being patented by Mr. Lambert in every country upon the Globe. We have the exclusive right of this as well as other counties. Be patient a few days and we will give you the finest work of the nineteenth century. We will give you perfect gems of art and you will please remember his work was awarded a medal in 1875.

J W BOYCE,
Photographer and Artist,
Belleville, Oct 26th, 1876.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

CLEARING SALE

AT STORE No. 351 FRONT STREET, Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention

Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets, Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered Robes, Caps and Fancy Laces. Sewed Muslin Embroideries, Washing Trimmings in great variety, Silk and Worsted Embroidery Braids, Silk & Velvet Ribbons, Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk and Wool Barege, Colored Silk Velvets and Satins, Berlin Wools, Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns, *Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety* Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.

JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

The Malicious Report of the

DEATH AND BURIAL

—OF—

CHEAP JOHN!

Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is

AGAIN IN THE FIELD,

AND WILL

WAR TO THE KNIFE

Against High Prices!

At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of

GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
CROCKERY, &c.,

AT PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.

He has made large additions to his stock, and as he has purchased entirely for Cash, he is enabled to sell at Prices LOWER THAN EVER.

GROCERIES:

SUGAR, 13 lbs. for $1.00 ; Rice 4c per lb.; Currants 7c per lb.; Coffee 18c per lb; Good Japan Tea 20c per lb, Barley 4c per lb; Raisins 8c per lb; Sardines 12c per box, Canned Fruit 15c per can; Choice Pickles 15c per bottle; Tobacco 30c per lb; Cigars $15 per 1,000; Choice Syrups 40c to 70c per gal, soap at almost nothing

DRY GOODS:

UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Steamloom 5c per yard; Wincey 8c per yard; Lustres 12c per yd; Prints 5c per yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Pins 3c per paper; Flannels 18c per yard; Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All-Wool Shawls $2.25.

Ready-Made Clothing

ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4; Boy's Complete Suits $2,50; Hats and Caps almost given away.

BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, &c, at ridiculously Low Prices.

CROCKERY—A large assortment at less than half the usual prices.

☞ TERMS CASH, and No Second Price.

Remember the New Store, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, next door to the RED FRONT STORE, where

CHEAP JOHN

IS HIMSELF AGAIN.

Belleville, March 14, 1877.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE EASTER

FAT CATTLE AND SHEEP FAIR

Will be held on

MARKET SQUARE,

BELLEVILLE,

ON WEDNESDAY 21ST

Inst. Farmers of Hastings and Prince Edward, now is your time to obtain a good price for your Fat Cattle, as Buyers are expected from the East and West.

W. A. FOSTER,
Mayor of Belleville.

March 14, 1877. d&w

TO LET.

THE Store formerly occupied by Ross Price. These premises have been occupied by Mr. Price for 10 years. Possession immediately. Apply to

H. H. LEAVENS.

March 14, 1877 t

LOST.

AT about 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, March 10, between Purdy's Hardware Store and Linklater's Tea Store, $23 in CASH Any party returning the same, or giving information that will lead to its recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

FRED. GUNTHER,
Birrell's Axe Factory.

Post Office Block!

AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED "
PLAIN "
SPATTERED "

FROM 7 Cents.

SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Agent for (Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 13, 1877.

ELEPHANT CLOTHING STOVE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.

March 12, 1877.

WHEN IT COMES

(Spring we refer to)

Your want will be 'FELT'

We have prepared for all such wants!

Having just opened a magnificent assortment of newest London and New York Shapes in Round Crowned Stiff Hats, manufactured for us.

WM. JOHNSON & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS is the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep ; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

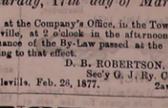
To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks ; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf



Grand Junction Railway Co.

THE adjourned General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Grand Junction Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business, will take place on

Saturday, 17th day of March,

1877, at the Company's Office, in the Town of Belleville, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the By-Law passed at the last meeting to that effect.

D. B. ROBERTSON,
Sec'y G. J. Ry. Co.

Belleville, Feb. 26, 1877. 2aw2w

NOTICE TO MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS,

A very moderate prices.

a Call and examine for yourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER,
Stove and Tin Shop.

NEW SPRING STOCK!

—OF—

BOOTS' AND SHOES,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE KINGSTON

Emporium Boot & Shoe Store

CONSISTING OF

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S

Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of

Gents' Walking BOOTS,

Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.

ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,

All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash

No. 367 FRONT STREET,

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.

Mar. 14th, 1877.

THE LADIES STORE.

Having secured the services of a

First-Class Dress Maker

I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and Country that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls Suits.

A Choice Stock of

Ladies' UNDERCLOTHING

WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS, INFANTS' ROBES, CLOAKS, APRONS, &c., &c.,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

☞ Don't forget the place.

Mrs. J. A. Dawson,

Bogart's Block, Opposite Town Hal

NOTICE.

T. WALTERS,

RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the

FIRST OF APRIL, 1877

If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.

Belleville, march 10, 1877. [12w-4tw

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

TENDERS

RECEIVED by the undersigned up to THURSDAY the 15th of MARCH, (noon) for the construction and completion of "Building," as per plans and specifications at the office of John Ferrin, Esq., Hotel St.

FRED. S. HAINES,
338 Front St

GOOD GOODS CHEAP.

—O—

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

—O—

CLEARING SALE.

—O—

MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St.,

BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 7th, 1877.

GO TO

A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877 :

1¾ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to

FRIDAY, the 16th MARCH

for the furnishing of SEATS and DESKS for the Separate School House, West Belleville. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES MCGUIRE,
Chairman of Supplies.

March 12, 1877. 5i

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND UNK MS TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, W..	6.50 a m
2 Express,..	6:10 p m
4	9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, E..	12:05 p m
3 Express,..	12.12 a m
xed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows :—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 15.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—The cells afforded accommodation for six tramps and two prisoners last night.

DEATH OF A VETERAN.—Joseph Hughes one of the veterans of 1812 was burried in South Marysburg yesterday.

NAPANEE NOTES.—The Spring Assizes open on the 22nd inst.—All the insane inmates of the jail have been removed.—Two persons were fined last week for an infraction of the liquor law.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4,00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

PERSONAL.—Mr. W. W. Jones left town this afternoon on a visit to his father who resides in Chicago. We understand it is probable that Mr. Jones will engage in business in the west but we trust he will not do so as our town cannot well afford to lose such an estimable citizen.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

ADELPHIAN SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT.—The ladies of the Adelphian Society of Alexandra College, will give a musical and literary entertainment in the College Chapel, Friday, March 16th, 7:30 p. m. See programmes and purchase tickets at Harrison's and Van Norman's book stores. Admission 15 cents.

DISGRACEFUL.—The conduct of the boys who nightly assemble in front of the Opera House is simply disgraceful, and an example should be made of some of them. Last night they threw stones at the front door, and indulged in other unbecoming conduct. True, the police are not omnipresent, but if one was stationed in that locality such misconduct would not be recorded.

THE YOUNG MEN'S LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.—A society has been organized under this name with J. J. B. Flint as President ; P. L Palmer, Vice Prest. ; John Hambly, Secretary. They hold weekly meetings in the Judge's Chamber, Shire Hall, on each Wednesday and number about 30 in the membership. We wish them the success that should attend an organization which has the improvement and cultivation of the youth as its aim.

KINGSTON ITEMS.—Tom Allen is in the city and his coming has created a great sensation.—Coal oil sells for 21 cts per gallon.—Prof. Randolph exposes spiritualism to-night in the Music Hall.—The St. Lawrence Base Ball Club is impecunious.—That harbinger of spring, "the nasty organ grinder man," has appeared.—A convict named Augustus Dauberry cut his throat on Tuesday afternoon and will probably die.—Frank Alden, of Rochester, N. Y., who was convicted at Hamilton for the murder of a night watchman, and who had his sentence of death commuted to imprisonment for life in the Penitentiary, died at that institution on the 6th inst.

"NEW DOMINION MONTHLY."—The March number of the *New Dominion Monthly* has an interesting list of contents. It opens with a fine wood engraving, a "prospective view of the Government Buildings, Ottawa," followed by a sketch of the Capital of Canada, by A. M. B (illustrated)—nicely written and containing matter of much interest. The several departments of the magazine, "The Young Folks," "The Home," "Literary Notices," "Chess," &c., are edited very ably, and taken altogether, the magazine is conducted in such a manner, that we cannot wonder at its popularity. It is a good magazine—good in sentiment and appearance. Published by Messrs. John Dougall & Son.

SHORTS.—The sleighing is fast becoming a thing of the past.—The wood market continues to be well supplied.—Bishop Carman lectured on "Methodism" in Brockville on Tuesday night.—The sidewalks are in a very slippery condition, and occasion pedestrians considerable inconvenience.—The Assizes Court being in session the hotels are well patronized.—Skating still continues popular and the rink is well patronized.—The crossing on the bay is now safe, yet caution is required as there are many bad spots. in the ice.—No fears of a spring freshet need be entertained as there is not sufficient water in the river and its tributaries to float a second hand canal boat.—A matinee especially for the ladies will be given in the Opera House on Saturday afternoon, when "Rosedale" will be again performed.—Don't fail to attend the "Two Orphans" to-night.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, a very fair audience assembled at the Opera House last evening to witness the performance by the Shaughraun Company, of "Macbeth." The entertainment was first-class throughout, and seemed to please all present. Mr. Neil Warner had ample scope to display his great ability as a tragedian, in the role of *Macbeth* : his deep stentorian voice being well adapted to it. It was at once evident to the audience that tragedy was the *forte* of that gentleman, and judging from the frequent outbursts of applause he met with, his rendition of *Macbeth* met with hearty approval. Mr. E. A. McDowell made a good *Macduff* and in the combat with *Macbeth* showed himself to be a good swordsman. Miss Affie Weaver appeared to great advantage as *Lady Macbeth*, and brought out her rare abilities as a tragedienne. Her acting in the somnambulistic state was particularly good, and the audience applauded tremendously at its close. This lady evinces qualities rarely possessed by other actresses, being fully qualified to fill almost any part assigned her; always giving her *role* a grandeur that few others can equal. The singing of the witches was also exceedingly well done ; Miss Florence Vincent, and Mr Charles Arnold, being the prominent characters, and both sang their solos with a great deal of sweetness and taste. On the whole, the rendition of the piece was as good as any company could render it. To-night the beautiful romantic drama of the "Two Orphans" will be put upon the boards, and from what we have seen of the company we are led to expect it will be one of their best peices.

POLICE COURT.—His Worship Mayor Foster officiated to-day in the absence of the Police Magistrate. Frederick Curtis who appeared before him was fined $5 00 and costs or 30 days for acting in a disorderly manner in front of the Opera House last evening. It is to be hoped that the boys who congregate there will take warning from this and govern themselves accordingly.

"ST. PATRICK'S DAY."—The Shaughraun Company give their two last performances in this town on St. Patrick's Day, and intend giving two grand entertainments in honor of the occasion. In the afternoon at 2:30 the beautiful military drama "Rosedale" will be performed, giving the ladies and children an opportunity of witnessing this very delightful play. 25 cents will be the admission charged to all parts of the theatre. In the evening a new Irish play called "Eileen Oge" will be produced, in which Mr. McDowell will appear as "Brian O'Farrell" and sing some new songs. Mr. Morris will appear as "McLean," a Scotch Middleman. His Scotch dialect is said to be perfect. This will be the last performance of the Shaughraun Company in this town for several months, and consequently a crowded house may be expected.

THE SCHOOLMASTER ABROAD.

Below will be found a second letter from "that applicant" for the position of Writing Master in our Public Schools.

Macheenry's Shanty Michigan.
March 9th 1877.

Trustees of Edacation Belleville,
Canada Ontario

Dear Frends

I sent out for your anser on the 6th of the munth and when I didn't git eny I reckined ide bene to late fur the job, but the forman beine out at the sity fetched in your anser to day, and I se by it yore goin to giv me the prefferenc. I was verry glad when I got yore letter asken fur specimens of my chickograffy and drowin and Letterin ol of which I enkloze. I might jist say that I dun the letterin and the hole thing without a ruler or eny tules and the pen bad and corce and thik ink, Mi time is up the 13th of this munth and I have notisfyed the foreman that I be levin him then and wil wont mi pa,

I of the men is goin out to-morror and wil take this and Ile send fur sum good pens and ink and go into training at wonst. I am sorrey I have not bene abel to git eny musel down to a fine thing yet but ile sone be able to do work with this ere littel quil what wil astonish your cureyocity and make smol boys in your naberhud open thair iyes.

Ime frade from the tone of yore leter that I ont be abel to get a curn as poler after ours and satterdaze as you dont sa nothin abot it. Ime sorrey fur this, fur if there is ennything I like better than teachin rightin it is a skrimmage with the big boys in schule or a tursil with a corner lofer. But I aint goin to complane, fur this world wasent made to give peple ol there one wa. It woud be to much bless for mortels here belo to have things ol there own wa. I dont want to brag of meself but I must say ive olways bene able to take mi own part at a cattel sho or any other place, and after I get pracktised up kin teach yore rightin better than eny other man you kin git and kepe order.

Did you se bil d——. Whot did he sa abouet me. I coud have gave you anuther referins but I dont no the fellers first name.

Ile pracktis up hear til mi time is up and then ile be out at Flint so as not to be so long before I get notis from you.

Hopin it il be aul rite I am your Obedient servent.

Address FRANCIS GEORE SMITH,
Flint Post office,
Michygan

P. S.—I told you I was a Cannadian by berth but ime an American by edacation and adoption. I was born in Simcoe and lived with my unkle in Nu York State till I was 12 and then cum bak to Canada where I staid till I cume out here as I told you before. Ile take the oth of allegens agin as sone as I git there.

Yore tru frend
FRANCIS GEORE SMITH

Accompanying the letter are specimens of his "letterin," "flourishin" and "drawin." It is altogether likely that the writer has been making a little fun on his account.

THOSE LIVELY BOYS AT OTTAWA.

The Hamilton "Times" Ottawa correspondent says:—"This morning a package of rattles that make a loud noise, similar to a telegraph instrument or a lively locust, were received by Messers. Plumb and Domville and distributed among the Tories. For a few moments the air was deafened by their clatter as hon. members took lessons on them. Mr. Cheval brought out his Jew's harp, and amid roars of laughter, played an artistic air. Mr. Domville is so tickled over this expedient to drown Mr. Cheval's music that he dances about like a boy with a new whistle. He is too happy to live, and almost walks on air. The opposition is now likely to create a noise if they never did before."

Wait for the ladies—The broom handle factory at Port Stanley turns out about five thousand broom-handles a day.

Passion is a poor guide. It is always safer to take the road directly to that which it points out.

"THE ART OF TEACHING."

A Manual for the use of Teachers and School Commissioners, by Frederick C. Emberson, M.A., Wadham College, Oxford, &c.

We have received from Messrs. Dawson Bros., Montreal, a copy of the above work, which deals succinctly and intelligently with a number of subjects of the utmost importance to teachers and others interested in education. The advice given to those who are preparing for examinations, whether teacher or pupil, in school or college, will be found highly beneficial and at the same time very easy of application. The writer is evidently well posted on what he writes about, and, what is still more in his favor, takes a deep interest in the profession of teaching. We recommend this *brochure* to those for whose benefit it is specially intended.

NON-FORFEITABLE.

The Act to make Life Assurance Policies now forfeitable, provides that after five yearly payments the policy becomes absolutely non-forfeitable. The payment of the policy shall be made within thirty days after death. If no representative of the deceased can be found, the amount of the policy shall be paid into the Court of Chancery. Suicides shall not bar payment.

A wife full of truth, innocence and love, is the prettiest flower a man can wear next to his heart, but they do not grow on ever bush.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

THE INDIAN WAR.

CHICAGO, March, 15.—Gen. Sheridan has received the report of the surrender, Feb. 25th, of 230 Sioux. Red Horse described the Custer massacre, saying the soldiers were the bravest men they ever met. No prisoners were taken, but all captured were massacred. The Indians lost 136 killed and 160 wounded.

REVENUE TROUBLES.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 15.—A Deputy-Marshall with a squad of soldiers, while searching for illicit distillers in Wilkes Co., was ambuscaded. One soldier was killed. No arrests. A man seen running off was fatally shot but proved to be innocent of any connection with the distillers.

WHAT HAMPTON FAVORS.

NEW YORK, March 15.—A *Herald's* Columbia special reports that Hampton says he will favor a new election in South Carolina if Hayes will favor a new Presidential election.

SOUTHERN POLICY.

Washington specials report as follows :—The *World* says an informal conference of Southern Senators and others favored taking no part in any active attempt to influence the course of the Administration, but leaving events to shape themselves, thus avoiding alliances which may prove entangling in the future.

AN OFFICE FOR DOUGLASS.

Fred Douglas is to be U. S. Marshal for the District of Columbia. The office is worth from 8 to $10,000 per year.

A SENSIBLE POLICY.

The *World* says there is no reason to believe the Administration will make renewed demands about Cuba. The President thoroughly believes in the policy of "minding your own business."

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The principal foreign missions will be changed, but indications are that no appointment will be made until after the adjournment of the Senate.

WITHDRAWING THE TROOPS.

The *Tribune* says the President has determined to withdraw the troops in S. C. and La., after the Senate adjourns.

LIBERAL OFFER.

Capitalists have offered to loan the Government without interest $4,000,000 or $5-000,000, needed to pay the army from July 1st to December.

DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY.

The roll of the new House of Representatives will show a Democratic majority of about 17.

HE PROTESTS THE WILL.

The uncle of the late Miss Dancer has retained counsel to contest her will. He claims that she was improperly influenced, and was prejudiced against the kindred of her father.

S. S. ARRIVAL.

Arrived—S. S. Parthia, from Liverpool.

RECOGNIZING DIAZ.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Minister Foster has recognized Diaz only as President *de facto* He will not recognize him as President *de jure* until after a meeting of Congress and his inauguration.

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Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson,

BELLEVILLE, March 16.

Greenbacks buying at...	94½ to 94¾
" selling at...	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at...	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange ...	84½

Gold opened at 104⅛ ; closed at 104⅛.

A common cough or cold should never be trifled with : often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Waters," a curative which has sustained its reputation forover twenty years. They are always efficacious and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1 ; Pills 25 cents a box.

READ THIS TWICE.—Five to thirty drops of THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL, will cure common Sore Throat. It never fails in Croup. It will cure a Cold or Cough in twenty-four to forty-eight hours. One bottle has cured Bronchits of eigh years standing ; recent cases are cured in three to six days. It has restored the voice where the person had not spoken above a whisper in five years. As an outward application in all cases of pain or lameness, nothing like it has ever been known. One bottle will cure any case of Lame Back or Crick in the Back. For disease of the Spine and Contraction of the Muscles it is unequaled. In Rheumatic or any other pain the first application does you good. It stops Ear Ache and the pain of a Burn in three minutes and altogether the best and cheapest medicine ever offered to the peple the cheapest, because it takes so little to do you good. It is composed of six of the best oils known, and nothing but oils. Is worth its weight in gold Why not buy it to day?—A. B. DES ROCHERTS-assistant postmaster, Arthabaskaville, P. Q., writes :—"Thirteen years ago I was seized by a severe attack of rheumatism in the head, from which I have nearly constantly suffered. After having used "Thomas Eclectric Oil" for nine days, bathing the forehead, I have been completly cured, and have only used half a bottle. This I am certify under oath if you wish."—Rev. J. MALLORY, Wyoming, N. Y., writes "Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil cured me of Cronchits in one week. Dealers all over the country say, "We have never sold a medicine that has given such complete satisfaction as this."

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TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, seaed from observation.

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JACOB HICKS.
Belleville, March 12, 1877. d&w1w

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.
WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.
WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.
Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

NOW IS THE TIME

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SCRAP BOOKS.

1 case SCRAP PICTURES
1 do RELIEFS
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,

H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.
March 8th, 1877. d&w

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PRICE $6.00 per ton in bulk ; $1.25 per Bbl.

Farmer's Elevator Dock.

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Belleville, Jan. 18th, 1877. d1w&w3m

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WEAR WELL
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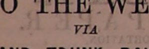

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Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,628 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.
(Signed) GEO J PYKE, General Manager.
Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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PRESENT
BUY YOUR WIFE
ONE OF THE
EUREKA
CLOTHES WRINGERS
IT WILL BE SURE TO PLEASE HER
JOHN LEWIS & CO.

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J. GIBBARD & SON.

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500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
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TO BE SOLD AT COST
Within the Next TEN DAYS
At the store of the Late
JOHN TEMPLETON
FRONT STREET.
WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

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FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
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BEST REFINED
COAL OIL
—AT—
25 Cts.
PER WINE GALLON
AT
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At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
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WEDDING CAKES.

...at Ottawa. ... CAKES.
The motion was put amid the greatest silence, and, on no one rising to oppose the chairman pronounced it carried.
The enquiry will be proceeded with to-morrow.

THE LOST STEAMSHIPS.

A letter has been received by the Herald from a Newfoundland correspondent, who believes that the loss of the George Washington, of the Cromwell Line, was due either to fire or explosion. He says:—"Whatever may have been the cause of the destruction of the George Cromwell, it is morally certain that an explosion of some kind took place on board the George Washington. The torn and fragmentary condition of the recovered bodies, as also the shrivelled and scorched appearance of some leather and pork that drove shoreward to Long Beach—all testify to the deadly work of fire or steam.

BY TELEGRAPH.
MORNING DESPATCHES.
AMERICAN.
FIRE AND DEATH.
BOSTON, Mass., March 16.—A fire in the rear of the American House at midnight caused a loss of $30,000. A policeman and a fireman were seriously injured. Lewis Rice, proprietor of the American House, died of heart disease superinduced by the excitement.

—AND—
STOVES
OF ALL KINDS,
CHEAPER FOR CASH!
Than Anywhere else,
AT CHOWN'S
STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
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HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

DOORS! DOORS!
MADE on honor of 1¼ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT
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STEAM PLANING MILL,
Sash, Door, and Blind Factory
Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.
PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.
and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.
Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.
EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!
CONTRACTS
Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.
Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be
PROMPTLY FILLED
THOMAS McRAE
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BUCK WHEAT
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No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.
DIRECTIONS FOR USE.
PANCAKES.—Take as much Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour as is required for the occasion—add gradually, cold water or milk to make a soft batter. Then BAKE AT ONCE.
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A supply just received.
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GROCER AND WINE MERCHANT.
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FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
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PROVISIONS
AT
THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.
Call at once for Bargains.
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RUN WELL
WEAR WELL
AND
KEEP GOOD TIME

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It prevents "blistering" and the iron sticking.
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FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
DIAMOND BRAND
OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.
This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.
Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.
1st It is well known, having been established over five years.
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3rd It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.
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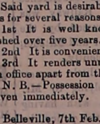

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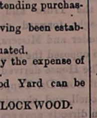

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On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the
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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
WM DICKENS & SONS

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SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,
WORSTED COATINGS,
SPRING OVERCOATINGS,
IN GREAT VARIETY
GIVE ME A CALL.
April 22nd, 1876.

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FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,
Every Kind of Fish in Season,
From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
Received this day—SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS
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Fish and Poultry Dealer, Market Square,
April 18th, 1876

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BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,
Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS
We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

CITY BOOK BINDERY.
BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.
ALL STYLES
—DONE—
Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously
AT THIS OFFICE.
JAMES J. LANDY,
MANAGER.

BAY CITY
MABRLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station. Pinnacle Street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

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MADE TO ORDER,
By an Experienced Workman,
AT WALLACE'S
Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.
WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.
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FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL.
Sailing from New York as follows:

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CITY OF BERLIN	.. Saturday, Mar. 24,	1 p.m,
CITY OF CHESTER	.. Saturday, Mar. 31,	6:30 a.m,
CITY OF MONTREAL	.. Saturday, Apr. 7,	12:30 p.m
CITY OF RICHMOND	.. Saturday, Apr. 14,	3 p.m,

Passengers will find these steamers tastefully fitted up, and the staterooms large and perfectly ventilated. The saloons are the entire width of the vessel, and situated where there is least noise and motion, greatly lessening the liability to sea sickness. Smoking rooms, Ladies' Boudoirs, Piano-fortes and Libraries, Bath rooms, Barber's shop, Electric Bells, Spacious Promenade Decks, &c.
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Rates of Passage—$80 and $100, gold, according to accommodation, all having equal saloon privileges.
Round Trip Tickets—$145 and $175 gold.
Steerage To and from all points at reduced rates.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent, 15 Broadway, New York
Or DOWNEY AND POPE, Belleville.
Feb 12, 1876 4mos

SPRING ASSIZES.

THURSDAY, March 15

Squier et al vs. McCabe.—This was an action for breach of contract; parties all reside at Trenton. Plffs. have been for some time engaged in mercantile business, and having also added to their other business, purchasing grain, concluded to dispose of the mercantile branch and confine their attention to grain, and carrying out their intention negotiated and concluded as they thought, a sale with Deft. of their whole stock at 70cts. on the dollar, and reduced their agreement to writing. Deft. failed after stock was taken to carry out his part of agreement as Plffs. contend, and they sold to Geo. Gordon for 56 cents on the dollar.

Deft. on his part says the writing does not contain their agreement but on the contrary he was only to purchase stock to the amount of $3,000 at 70cts. on the dollar, which he has always been ready to carry out.

Case lasted nearly two days, being one of considerable importance.

After Deft. failed to carry out his agreement Plff. sold the goods to Geo. Gordon but bought them back again in six days paying Gordon a bonus of $500 and are now back in their old stand with their old goods.

Verdict for Plff. Damages $350 on first count. Deft. on second count and for $57 for Plffs. on third count.

Hon. L. Wallbridge & Francis for Plff.; Falconbridge for Defts.

The trial of Sanger Golding was then proceeded with. The accused was indicted for feloniously and unlawfully killing and slaying one Peter Martin in the Township of Madoc on the 2nd Nov. 1875.

The following jury was sworn.

W. H. Fluke, James Finch, Alex Somerville, Royal Mason, John Morton, Timothy Sullivan, Wm. Vandervoort, W. H. Todd, John Best, Wm. Bouter, David Carleton, Thos. Clapp.

Mr. B. M. Britton, Q. C., addressed the Jury for the prosecution, after which the following evidence was given.

Joseph Bailey, Sworn—Live in the Township of Madoc; know Mr. Golding; knew him in Nov. 1875; was at his place on 2nd Nov., 1875; saw Peter Martin at prisoner's tavern; a man named Campbell and a boy were with him; Martin was asking for liquor from a boy at the bar; he was also asking for change which the prisoner said Martin had got; he then asked Golding for liquor; Golding refused to give him any as he had enough; Martin said he should have it; Golding said he would not get it from him; Martin swore he would fetch Golding from behind the bar and have it; he then struck at Mr. Golding across the bar; the bar was a little more than three feet high; Martin struck Golding a second time, and he then ordered Martin out; Martin was able to strike Golding across the counter; Martin continued striking at Golding across the bar; during this time Daniel McDonnell, the bailiff, came in; Golding wanted McDonnell to arrest Martin; McDonnell and Campbell had a tussle together and clinched; Campbell gave McDonnell a pretty good handling, and McDonnell took a stick from me; McDonnell told Golding to defend his house; Martin struck again at Golding and then Golding got a stick; I don't know where he got the stick; Martin struck again, and Golding then struck Martin with the stick on the left side of the head; he then staggered and fell; McDonnell and Campbell were still clinching, and they staggered twice over him; quite a crowd gathered, and I went out, saw him bleeding from the ear; I don't know what afterwards became of Martin; did not see the body at the inquest; the stick was about two feet long and 1 inch or 1½ inches in thickness; it had bark on; did not see the end of the row between McDonnell and Campbell; didn't think Martin was very much under the influence of liquor.

Cross-examined—Golding refused to give Martin liquor, but offered them cigars; prisoner did not show any malicious or vindictive feelings toward the parties; Golding gave no provocations when I was there, and Campbell began the fuss; they both threatened Mr. Golding and said they would beat him; I was surprised to see Golding take so much, Golding told McDonnell to arrest Martin; Golding was trying to get away, and Martin followed him to the opening of the bar; did not think it was a heavy blow that Golding gave with his stick; Martin staggered two or three times before he fell; Golding was only on the defensive during the whole time; persons rushed in and drove Golding out of his house; one man said, "Let us tear the house down"; they were friendly to Martin; they said he struck Martin, and they would have revenge.

Re-examined—Robinson was the man who said they would tear the house down; Martin staggered from the effect of the blow; he never spoke or recovered after he received the blow; Martin had no stick or anything in his hand.

Edgar Canniff, sworn—Live at Madoc, a mile from the village; am a travelling agent; never saw Martin until the day of the disturbance; I was not in the bar-room; was in the reading-room; went to the bar when I heard the row; saw Golding, Martin and Campbell; saw McDonnell, a man named Barns, and others whom I did not know; saw Martin reaching over the bar towards Golding, who was behind the bar; Martin swore that he would jerk Golding out and lick him; Campbell and McDonnell got into a tussle; Martin then rushed for Golding again, and asked him if he intended to strike him with that club; Golding told him to go out of doors; Martin then drew himself up in a position to strike, and I saw the stick used by Golding; nobody interfered.

Dr. Loomis, sworn—Am a Doctor of Medicine, practising in Madoc village for the last 12 years; did not know Martin; saw him after he was dead; made an examination of the body in the afternoon of the 3rd Nov. 1875; he died the night before; Doctor Williams made the examination with me; there were no external marks on the body; the body appeared well nourished; I observed oozing of blood from the ear; I removed the skull and found a fracture of 4 inches and an ⅛ over the ear I discovered a clot the immediate cause of death, as I conceive a blow must have ruptured the artery; it must have been a good sized instrument that caused the fracture, as I found no discoloration; It must have been a heavy blow and a heavy stick to cause the injury; in cases of drunkenness the extravasation of blood is more profuse; a man might survive such an injury; if there had been an escape for the blood the man would have been alive to-day; death sometimes results from suffusion of blood without injury.

Cross-examined—Have known Mr. Golding since he came to Madoc; he is a very

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The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 16.

THE cable across Northumberland Straits parted on Wednesday, and as a consequence there is now no telegraphic communication with Prince Edward Island.

RECENT despatches from Ottawa are to the effect that Lord Dufferin was more seriously injured by his fall than was at first supposed. The fracture of a rib and a bad sprain will probably confine him to his room for some time.

MR. DE COSMOS has assured the House and the country that British Columbia will now keep quiet, and watch the result of the general elections of 1878. This is very considerate of British Columbia.

IN nearly every county of Ontario active steps are being taken by Reformers to perfect the party organization and prepare for the not-distant general elections. This course has been made necessary to maintain the ascendancy of the principles now governing the administration of public affairs in the country. What do the Reformers of Hastings purpose doing? There is certainly need for a little more life and unity of sentiment among the leading members of the party than have been manifest for some time past.

THE Hamilton *Times* has called attention to the fact that our representatives at Ottawa are in the habit of setting a bad example to "weaker brethren" by utilizing Sunday for miscellaneous work in the Parliament Buildings. It appears that with few exceptions honorable members are in the habit of writing letters, preparing documents and doing other kinds of work that require the attendance of pages and other servants of the House. This is not creditable to the professed habits of our people, and certainly very unbecoming those who are supposed to represent not only the political but equally so the moral and intellectual sentiments of the country. The *Whig* demands a reform in this respect, and we believe public opinion will second the motion.

STEPS have been taken in England for the celebration of the 400th anniversary of the introduction of printing into that country. A committeee, composed of Dean Stanley, Prof. Huxley, Lord Hatherby, and the American Minister at the Court of St. James, has held a preliminary meeting for the purpose named. They have agreed that the "Dates and Sayings of the Philosophers," published in 1477, and the first dated book printed in Great Britain, should be accepted as the beginning of Caxton's labors in the Abbey of Westminster. Everything possible will be done to make the forthcoming celebration a suitable recognition of the great advantages conferred on mankind by the "Art conservative of all arts." The Montreal *Gazette* recommends similar action being taken in Canada.

THE DEATH PENALTY.

Mr. Blake's Bill to amend the law relating to "Offences against the Person" has been slightly amended in the Senate. Much is being said by certain individuals about the dangerous advance of humanitarian views and the disposition shown by the present Government to abolish altogether, or in part, the time-honored system of capital punishment for specified crimes. The following will show the relative tendency of the present and late Governments to the enforcement of the death penalty.

From the 1st Jan. to the 5th November, 1873, during which time Sir John Macdonald was in power, the record was as follows:

Year	Sentenced to death for murder.	Executions.	Commutations.
1867	4	1	3
1868	6	2	4
1869	5	4	1
1870	6	2	4
1871	3	0	3
1872	12	4	8
1873 (Nov. 5)	4	2	2
	40	17	23

From Nov. 5, 1873, to Dec. 31, 1876, during which time Mr. Mackenzie was in power, the record was as follows:

Year	Sentenced to death for murder.	Executions.	Commutations.
1873	5	5	0
1874	8	3	5
1875	16	3	13
1876	12	4	8
	41	15	26

The records taken as whole certainly do not bear out the conclusions of those who would censure Mr. Mackenzie's Government for dealing out commutations with a lavish hand.

CHRONIC DECEPTION.

It is impossible to conceive a more wilful disposition to deceive the ordinary reader than is practiced by the *Mail* and minor Conservative journals. For instance, the Toronto organ gives the following figures as representing the cost of the Ottawa Departments in 1873, the last of the Macdonald *regime*, and subsequent years:—

1873	$ 452,201
1874	521,202
1875	560,927
1876	596,774

The object is, of course, to prove that a Reform Administration has gradually increased the expenses connected with the government of the country, and is, therefore, both corrupt and extravagant. No reference whatever is made to the fact that new provinces have been added to the Dominion and all the paraphernalia of civil government organized, necessitating a large addition to the departmental expenses. We do not deny that the cost of governing the country has increased during the last three years, but certainly not unnecessarily, when the extra demands are taken into consideration.

Editorial Notes.

THERE is now some hopes of the recovery of the Premier's brother, but he is still in a critical condition.

BUILDING prospects for the coming season are promising in Toronto in spite of the depression.

SMALL-POX has broken out in the village of Weston, and several families are down with it.

REPORTS from Charlevoix speak encouragingly of Mr. Tremblay's candidature. Some say his election is sure.

THE depreciation in the value of real estate in Montreal is alarming. Property assessed at $35,000 sold recently for $18,000.

HIS Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Russia has conferred the Cross of Knight Commander of the Order of St. Anne upon Dr. A. M. Ross, of Toronto, in recognition of the latter's labors as a naturalist.

THE Sarnia *Canadian* repeats that stupid joke about Hon. Mr. Vail not being able to spell, though it was refuted several days ago. Mr. Vail is a man of superior education; the forgery had to be admitted in Parliament, and the *Canadian* has only added dishonor to the evil reputation it acquired by the invention of the "tubing" falsehood. It must believe that the bulk of its readers never see any other newspaper.

A PUBLIC BENEFACTOR

MR. ARIO PARDEE.

We have much pleasure in placing before our readers the following information concerning the munificence of a gentleman known to many of them, if not personally, by reputation. Mr. Ario Pardee is the senior member of the well-known firm of Pardee & Lloyd, contractors for the construction of the North Hastings Railway. He is a wealthy manufacturer and mine owner of Hazelton, Pa., and, like many others whom we could mention, uses his surplus wealth in promoting the educational and material prosperity of the country. Lafayette College, located at the charming borough of Easton, which lies just beyond the border line of New York and Pennsylvania, is one of the principal educational institutions of the United States. It has not been without its ample harvest in the outpouring of liberal endowments, of which so many American Colleges can boast. Among the most generous of patrons, in promoting the improvements of the Institution, is the gentleman whose name stands above.

Mr. Pardee came into the State some years ago in a subordinate position, in connection with certain surveys amid the wilds of Pennsylvania. By industry, wise foresight and shrewd investment, he has become possessed of one of those princely fortunes which have grown up like Aladdin palaces, in the last thirty years, out of the development of the mineral resources of Pennsylvania. Dr. Cattell, the President of Lafayette, is a man of wondrous winning ways, and he has used them to excellent advantage in soliciting donations from men of means and generous principles. We cannot do better, in this connection, than to give the Dr.'s own account of his first interview with Mr. Pardee, at the home of the latter in Hazelton. We quote from a speech of the Dr.'s at a banquet given the President of Lafayette College by the citizens of Philadelphia, in 1869. It is eminently characteristic, and reveals the persistency, the always young zeal, and buoyant hopefulness, with which Dr. Cattell has, from the beginning labored for the well-being of Lafayette;

"In the fall of 1864, I became acquainted with Mr. A. Pardee, at his own home in Hazelton, Pa. It was a period when the clouds of our civil war hung low and dark in the horizon, shrouding the whole country in gloom. It was a dark period, too for Lafayette College. I had labored for nearly a year with all the energy God had given me, and so insignificant were the results that it seemed scarcely possible the College could much longer exist. I may say also that so thoroughly had I woven my own life with that of the College, that it seemed to me as if we were both dying out together. You can therefore judge somewhat of my personal, as well as official gratitude, to Mr. Pardee, when I tell you at this first interview, although he had never set foot within the College grounds, and had never met with any of the faculty except the president, at whose youth and diminutive appearance he was no doubt at first grieved in heart, this noble man placed in my hands his obligation for $20,000—the largest sum at that time ever given by one person to any educational institution in Pennsylvania! I read the paper over and over, and, the more I read it the less I comprehended 'the situation.' I was, sir, as one that dreamed, and if Mr. Pardee had melted away before my eyes and re-appeared as a presdamito magalatherium, I could not have marveled more than I did when I looked at those little slips of paper. I do not think the sensation would have been so delicious, but it would not have been more stunning. And indeed, sir, how I got home that day I can scarcely remember. I presume the cars did not run off the track; but really I do not think I would have taken much notice of any ordinary smash-up. I do remember, however, that when I reached home and showed the letter to the one whose gentle sympathies had cheered me in so many hours of discouragement, and who was the first to know and share my new joy,—I well remember that we two knelt down together, and from my full heart there went up the prayer that God would bless and reward the generous donor, and that prayer I have not, since that time, ceased daily to offer. But I must not dwell upon this. The old wave of feeling flows back upon me as I think of that day, and alas! deprives me of utterance. I will only say that I have regarded the results of that interview as due to my arguments of persuasion, but to that God in whose hand the hearts of men are turned as rivers of water, and who was that day answering in so remarkable a manner the prayers which for so many years had gone up from the thousands of Israel, in behalf of our college."

Mr Pardee had meantime extended his gifts. In 1869 they counted an aggregate of $200,000, and upon this basis was first established a new curriculum of scientific and technical studies. For the development of this sum a new and special building was erected. For this purpose, a year or two subsequently, Mr. Pardee made the further gift of $250,000. To this sum he afterwards added $50,000 for its scientific equipment. Such princely munificence ranged so far beyond the calculations of the trustees that no appropriate site for a building of such cost seemed available, except some three of the professors' homes should be swept from the College plateau. This was no sooner suggested than—with the promptitude and energy with which Pennsylvanians push to quick issue their largest schemes—other ground immediately contiguous was purchased for the professors' homes, their former homes were trundled away, and the excavations were commenced for "PARDEE HALL," the largest and most complete Scientific College building in the United States. In less than 18 months from the day when the site was determined upon, the building was complete—its flanking terraces laid down, and its halls dedicated to science by a celebration in which representatives from half the States of the Union participated. The borough of Easton—its shops shut and manufactories silent for the day—joined in the festal tribute with such professional array, and show of banners, and banqueting as good Thomas Penn never foresaw when he laid out "some ground for a town at the Forks of the Deleware."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

WEDNESDAY, March 14th.

At the afternoon sitting of the House the British Columbia members got up a sort of free fight in a Parliamentary sense among themselves. Mr. DE COSMOS moved for a Committee to inquire into the surveys of the Pacific Railway, accompanying his motion with a speech strongly censuring the Government for not adopting the Bute Inlet route, and for delay in proceeding with the work.

Mr. THOMPSON (Cariboo) chimed in, as also did Mr. BUNSTER, while Messrs. DEWNEY and CUNNINGHAM advocated the Fraser River line. Ultimately the motion was declared lost on a division.

Mr. CASEY then introduced his motion for a Committee on Civil Service Reform. In a very excellent speech he argued that the present condition of the civil service was unsatisfactory. The standard of qualification was not as high as in mercantile callings, and the cost larger in consequence. The patronage system was pernicious, and the responsibility of Ministers and their Parliamentary supporters reduced to a minimum.

Mr. MITCHELL moved the adjournment of the debate when six o'clock arrived, and the discussion stood over.

After recess Mr. Trow's Bill to make life assurance policies non-forfeitable was discussed and withdrawn.

Some other measures being disposed of, the resolution authorizing the transference of the Truro and Pictou Railway was brought forward and discussed by the Premier and Messrs. Palmer and Mitchell, who opposed the transfer violently.

The House derived not a little amusement from Dr. Tupper's replying to Mr. Mitchell, and charging him with having been directly answerable for the policy he now condemned.

Messrs. Jones, McDonnell (Inverness), and others having taken part in the debate, the resolution was agreed to and a Bill introduced, founded thereon.

The Extradition Bill was read a second time.

The Joint Stock Company's Act was also read a second time and referred to the Banking and Commerce Committee.

THURSDAY, March 15th.

Mr. MILLS, immediately after routine business had been disposed of, resumed the debate on the tariff resolutions and amendments thereto. He took up, one after the other, the protectionist fallacies of the hour, and handled them in his usual logical and incisive fashion. We will endeavor to find room for Mr. Mills' speech, or a part of it, in a future issue.

He was followed by Messrs Wallace, Patterson, McNabb, Workman, Farrow, Gilmour, White (Redfrew), Thompson (Cariboo) and Beverly Robinson. Mr. De Cosmos moved an adjournment of the debate, which was lost, and a vote was taken on Mr. Wood's amendment, with the following result:—Yeas, 79; Nays, 109.

Dr. ORTON then submitted another amendment embracing agricultural protection, and at 3 a. m. was still speaking.

NEW MUSIC.

"HE HOLDS THE FORT OR HEAVEN."

We have received a copy of a beautiful song and chorus, written in tribute to the memory of P. P. Bliss, "the Evangelist," who was killed in the railroad disaster at Ashtabula, O. It is a very fine sacred subject, to which the melody has been nicely adapted. No one playing on the Piano or Organ should be without a copy. No doubt in course of time, as the Publisher says, "millions will sing it" Price, 40 cents per copy, with an elegant lithograph of the late P. P. Bliss on the title page. Address all orders to F. W. Helmick, Music Dealer, 50 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, Ohio. The first verse and chorus are as follows:—

Thro' clouds of storm and darkness,
And this world of mortal doom,
When the shroud of flame enwrapt him
For a chill and watery tomb,
His soul above all anguish
Its song of triumph bore,
And shining angels met him
Beyond the shadowy shore.

Shining angels met him
Beyond the shadowy shore,
He "holds the fort of heaven"
A conq'ror evermore.

POLITICAL NOTES.

—Mr. Blake's Extradition Act was read a second time in the House yesterday.

—Mr. Young, of Waterloo, has suggested to the Government the propriety of issuing stamped notes and stamped envelopes. The idea is good.

—Mr. G. W. Ross, M. P., has laid the petition of the Bible Christian Conference before the House of Commons. It asks for a Dominion Prohibitory Law.

—Mr. Dymond in the Commons wants the death penalty abolished. Mr. Brown in the Senate wants it retained. "You pays your money and takes your choice."

—Certain inhabitants of Manitoba have petitioned Parliament for the extension of the Dunkin Act to that Province. Mr. Smith (Selkirk) presented the petition in the House yesterday.

—Mr. Trow's Bill to declare Life Assurance policies non-forfeitable met with decided opposition at the hands of Mr. Cartwright and Sir John A. Macdonald, and was finally withdrawn.

—The Toronto *Mail*, which is one of those "Go-it-blind" Protectionist papers that seeks to increase the cost of manufacturing in Ontario by a tax on coal, copies the letter from Mr. Buchanan that the Hamilton *Times* published yesterday.

The Toronto *Telegram* has the highest authority for saying that the report that "the Barings dissuaded Potter from the Grand Trunk at Premier Mackenzie's dictation," and that, as a sequence, "Hickson hopes to obtain a loan of $400,000 from the Dominion Government" lacks the very essential element of truth.

—The London *Free Press* objects to the 17½ per cent. duty on tubing, printing paper, &c., because they are in a way the raw material out of which some manufactured articles are composed. We suppose, however, that it knows that its leader, Sir John Macdonald, wishes to tax coal, which is an absolute necessity in almost all manufactures.

The potato bug is said to be poking his head through the snow in the country. Too early yet. Mr. Beetle.

The old proverb introduces to March a lion and a lamb; but latter times seem to have brought a whole menagerie.

Some hygenic writer says:—"Let your children eat all the salt they want." Bless you, it isn't salt they want—it's sugar.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

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FIFTH NIGHT OF THE
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From the Academy of Music, Montreal.

BENEFIT of the Popular Young Actor and Manager, Mr. E. A. McDOWELL, who will on this occasion appear in his favorite character of

CONN, THE SHAUGHRAUN
In Dion Boucicault's Great Irish Drama,
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SATURDAY, 17th of MARCH,
Grand St. PATRICK'S DAY PERFORMANCE at 2.30 p.m., the Great Military Drama,
ROSEDALE,
Evening at Eight,
THE LAST NIGHT,
Companion Play to the Shaughraun,
EILEEN OGE!
Mr. McDowell as Brian O'Farrel. Mr. Neil Warner as Patrick O'Donnell. Mr. Felix J. Morris as McLean the Scotch Middleman.

Prices of Admission:

Boxes, Lower $5; Upper $4.	
Orchestra and Parquette Chairs	75c
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Gallery	25c
Pit	25c

Seats can now be secured at J. C. Reynolds' stationery Store.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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March 12, 1877. 5i

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March 16, 1877. d1&w2t

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March 14, 1877. dlw

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BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
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Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.
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CLEARING SALE
AT STORE No. 361 FRONT STREET,
Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,
AT AND UNDER COST,
Which will be found worthy of attention
Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets,
Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces,
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Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk and Wool Barege, Colored Silk Velvets and Satins, Berlin Wools,
Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns,
Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety
Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.
JOHN COURTENAY,
March 13, 1877.

MURDER AND SUICIDE
The Malicious Report of the
DEATH AND BURIAL
—OF—
CHEAP JOHN!
Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is
AGAIN IN THE FIELD,
AND WILL
WAR TO THE KNIFE
Against High Prices!
At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of
GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
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AT PRICES
THAT DEFY COMPETITION.
He has made large additions to his stock, and as he has purchased entirely for Cash, he is enabled to sell at Prices LOWER THAN EVER.
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DRY GOODS:
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ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4. Boy's Complete Suits $2.50; Hats and Caps almost given away.
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☞ TERMS CASH, and No Second Price.
Remember the New Store, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, next door to the RED FRONT STORE, where
CHEAP JOHN
IS HIMSELF AGAIN.
Belleville, March 14, 1877.

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W. A. FOSTER,
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March 14, 1877. d&w

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March 14, 1877 t

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A bout 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, March 10, between Purdy's Hardware Store and Linklater's Tin Store, $23 in CASH Any party returning the money or giving information that will lead to its recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

FRED. GUNTHER,
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OPENED TO-DAY
NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
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SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at
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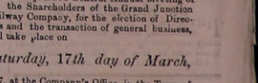
BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.
BARTMAN & SINTZEL
in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of
BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,
AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,
All bought especially for this trade.
As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.
PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.
BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.
March 12, 1877.

WHEN IT COMES
(Spring we refer to)
Your want will be 'FELT'
We have prepared for all such wants!
Having just opened a magnificent assortment of newest London and New York Shapes in Round Crowned Stiff Hats, manufactured for us.
WM. JOHNSON & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM.
It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.
That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.
One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.
To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.
Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.
We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.
HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877. tf



Grand Junction Railway Co.

THE adjourned General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Grand Junction Railway Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business, will take place on

Saturday, 17th day of March,

1877, at the Company's Office, in the Town of Belleville, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, in pursuance of the By-Law passed at the last meeting to that effect.

D. B. ROBERTSON.
Sec'y G. J. Ry. Co.

Belleville, Feb. 26, 1877. 2aw2w

NOTICE
TO
MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS
The undersigned has on hand
SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS,
A very moderate prices.
Call and examine for yourselves.
THOS. LINKLATER,
Stove and Tin Shop.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express... .. .. 6.50 a m
2 Express... .. .. 8:10 p m
d .. .. 9:46 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express... .. .. 12:05 p m
3 Express... .. .. 12:22 a m
xo 1, 4... .. .. 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at 8... .. .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 16.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

REMINDER.

The "Shaughraun" at the Opera House to-night.

THE CELLS.—The cells afforded shelter for one tramp and one prisoner last night.

MEETING.—The adjourned annual meeting of the shareholders of the G. J. R. will be held in the Company's offices, Pinnacle street tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock,

NOTICE.—The Inspector gives notice that all applications for tavern license must be presented before the 1st of April.

THE BAY.—The crossing on the bay continues to improve—a matter of regret to undertakers and readers of "interesting" news.

THE ROADS.—Last night's frost has hardened up the roads, and to-day the slipping is good. This is the blacksmith's harvest and he rejoices accordingly.

DUNKIN.—At a meeting held in Napanee yesterday, the hotel-keepers unanimously agreed, that in case the Dunkin Bill was enforced on the 1st of May, they would close their houses to the public.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the travelling public, has reduced it rates from $4,00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

REVIVAL.—A very interesting and well attended revival is now going on at Robling's Mills, and considerable interest is being manifested in the meetings by the people of that locality.

Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable rooms, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

ACQUITTED.—The girls Anne and Eliza Campbell, who were arrested on the 8th at Shannonville and brought here charged with child desertion, appeared on remand yesterday before the Police Magistrate and were discharged.

CURLING.—In the match between the Belleville and Vice-Regal Clubs, at Ottawa yesterday, the latter was victorious. The ice was in good condition and the game close and keenly contested.

LEGAL.—The following case was heard in the Court of Appeal in Toronto yesterday: —Shannon v. Hastings Insurance Company.—Appeal by defendants. Bethune, Q. C., and Dickson for appellants; McCarthy, Q. C., and Strathy contra. Reserved.

THE "UTICA."—The many friend of Captain Porte will be pleased to learn that he is having his fast little steamer thoroughly overhauled and put in order for the approaching season's work. It is also intended to increase her speed and to that end she will be provided with a new screw.

SHORTS.—Travel is on the increase and the hotels have done a good trade all the week.—Coasting has again become popular with the juveniles.—Was last night's descent of the thermometer one of those predicted by Vennor.

NEWSPAPERDOM.—The Hamilton Spectator has been purchased by Messrs. Southam & Carey. Mr. James Fahey, recently connected with that journal as editor, has been appointed Canadian correspondent of the New York Herald, with his headquarters in Montreal. Mr. Fahey's many friends here, will be pleased to hear of his success.

ADELPHIAN SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT.—The ladies of the Adelphian Society of Alexandra College, will give a musical and literary entertainment in the College Chapel, this evening at 7:30 p. m. See programmes and purchase tickets at Harrison's and Van Norman's book stores. Admission 15 cents.

CLOSED UP.—Nearly all the unlicensed places in the town have been closed, it having been found impossible to continue the business and make it profitable owing the vigilance of the License Inspector, who made it lively for them during the past year.

AN IMPROVEMENT.—The punishment of one of the parties who conducted themselves so disgracefully in front of the Opera House on Wednesday night has had a salutory effect, as last night those who congregated in that vicinity were as quiet and as orderly as the most peaceful loving citizen could wish. After a time the boys will learn to behave themselves properly.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—There is probably not one Irishman above ground in the universe who does not know that the 17th of March in each year is devoted to the memory of Ireland's Patron Saint. The children of the "old sod" may be unmindful of many things but they never forget their country. "Kings may be blessed" but many an Irishman will be glorious as the scenes of his youth are called up and memories that claster around his early home are burnished anew. The Society of the Sons of St. Patrick will clebrate the day by meeting at their hall in the afternoon and making a parade through the principal streets and in the evening they sit down to an oyster supper at O'Brien's Hotel.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Pardoe of the B. & N. H. R. is expected to arrive here tomorrow.

SPECIAL SERVICE.—For some time very successful special services have been conducted in West Belleville C. M. Church, the result so far being a large addition to the membership. Services are also held every afternoon, between three and four o'clock, in the basement of the Bridge St. Church.

AGAIN HEARD FROM.—E. O. William who victimized Johnny Nicholson of Belleville and the livery men of Brighton, Bowmanville and Kingston, has been again heard from. A circular received here to-day states that he stole a horse and rig at Lacolle, P. Q., and $50 reward is now offered for his capture and $50 for the stolen property. If this man could be sent to Kansas to ply his crooked work, the country would soon get rid of him.

"FOR CASH ONLY."—As will be seen by advertisement elsewhere, Messrs. A. E Fish & Co. have removed to more commodious premises, and announce their intention to sell "for cash only" hereafter. This firm has already won a large share of the public confidence by strict attention to business and "good bargains." We are sure that by adopting the "Cash System" they will further merit the patronage of an increasing number of customers.

LITTLE'S ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE DOMINION.—We have received Part IV of this highly meritorious work, which brings the narative down to the Administration of M. De Beauharnois, 1745. The illustrations of the "Lake beneath the Owl's Head Mountain" (Eastern Townships) and "View across the Bouddary Line" (from the Sugar-loaf) are fine specimens of steel engraving. Two other illustrations, representing "Gen. Johnson's Victory, near Crown Point," and "Gen. Braddock's Defeat," in 1755, may be truthful in design, but they are open to qustion, nevertheless. The work, upon the whole, is neatly got up and deserving of a liberal patronage.

THE SHAUGHRAUN COMPANY GIVE TWO Grand performances to-morrow; in the afternoon "Rosedale" will delight the ladies and children. A detachment of the Argyles will appear in the Gypsy Dell scene and the performance throughout will be the same as given on Monday evening. Admission to all parts of the house will be 25 cents. In the evening the companion play to the "Shaughraun" entitled "Eileen Oge" will be performed. Mr. McDowell will appear as *Brian O'Farrell* in which character he will sing a new Irish song called "McGinnis' Wedding"; Mr. Morris the Comedian will enact *McLean* a Scotch Middleman. His performance of this character is said by the Montreal press to be great, and his Scotch dialect perfect. Our citizens will no doubt cram the Opera House tomorrow evening and give the Shaughraun Company a rousing farewell.

KINGSTON NOTES.—The promoters of the Salvage Corps hold a meeting to-night.—Mr. Jacob Shibley, an old resident of the Township of Portland, is dead.—The people of Murvale want the stage coaches reinstated and the mails carried by them instead of by the K. & P. R. Co.—The St. Patrick Society will give a grand concert on Saturday evening.—Contracts for the extension of the British American Hotel have been let, and the work is to be at once begun.—Father Leonard will preach a sermon to the Irishmen of the city on the 17th.—Rev. Mr. Handford lectured on "Prohibition," on Wednesday evening.—The crossing to the island continues good.—The moral tone the city is improving, as there has not been any transactions at the Police Court for a couple of days.—On Tuesday night fifty bushels of wheat were stolen from Mr. Stirling's barn in Pittsburg.—A petition is being circulated for the release of the boy Purvis, who was recently convicted of larceny and sent to jail.—Rev. Mr. Bone is in the city in the interest of the Welland Canal Mission.

HE GOT MAD.—We saw a young man get very angry last evening because he was asked how much his coat cost. It was at the Opera House. The young man insisted on doing much more standing than there was any need of, and several gentlemen had requested him to "sit down in front," but he wouldn't keep down. He was like a piece of pork when there is seasickness about. A quiet gentleman sitting behind him leaned over toward him and blandly said: "Young man." And the young man inquired haughtily, "Well, sir?" "Will you please tell me what that coat of yours cost?" "Sir," said the young man, "you're very impertinent." "Not at all," said the quiet man, "but I have been admiring that coat every time you stood up." The young man kept his seat till the conclusion of the act; then he passed out, and as he went by the quiet man he said in fierce tones: "Sir, you shall hear from me." "Oh, I wouldn't give you that trouble," said the quiet man, "better give me the tailor's card; I may buy one of those coats myself." And the young man didn't return to his seat the entire evening.

THE OPHERA HOUSE.—A large audience was attracted to the Opera House last evening to witness the production of the "Two Orphans" by Mr. McDowell's talented company. The performance was delightful and gave the greatest satisfaction as was evinced by the rapturous applause so frequently bestowed. The *Two Orphans* were played by Miss Reeves as *Louise* and Miss Weaver as *Henriette*. The former as the blind girl enlisted the sympathy of the audience from beginning to end; whilst the affection and devotion of *Henriette*, to her afflicted sister called for warm and prolonged marks of appreciation from the audience. Miss Vincent enacted the part of *La Frochard* and acted it with becoming spirit whilst the respective roles of Miss Morris and Miss Newcombe were well performed. The finest piece of acting given before a Belleville audience in some time was that of Mr. Morris whose assumption of *Pierre* was a masterly effort and stamped him as an actor of power, and genius. Mr. McDowell as the *Chevalier* played very well throughout, as did also Mr. Warner who sustained the part of *Jaques*. The remaining members of the cast acquitted themselves very creditably. Before closing we would again commend the management for the splendid manner in which the piece was put upon the stage; the costumes, properties, scenery, all alike were first class, evincing careful preparation and accurracy. The orchestra though few in number, amply atone for that in the quality of their instrumental renderings. To-night will be produced the play of the "Shaughraun" for the performance of which this company is celebrated. All the mechanical appliances and stage accessories necessary for its production have been brought from Montreal, and it will be presented in a manner to merit the patronage of the public. Let the Belleville public show by a large house to-night their appreciation of the merits of this talented organization.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

FRIDAY, March 16.

DRUNK.

David Campbell charged with being drunk and disorderly was dismissed.

ASSAULT.

William Connors for assaulting his wife, was remanded till to-morrow.

Edward Post and Nathaniel Post for assaulitng Peter Bain were each fined $5,00 and costs.

LARCNY.

Edward Post charged with stealing a wood rack was remanded till to-morrow.

SECRET SERVICE EXPENDITURE.

Mr. Charlton has moved the following resolutions, which will effectively ventilate whatever is mysterious in connection with the Secret Service expenditure:—

1. That the Committee on Public Accounts call for copies of Orders-in-Council relating to the expenditure of any portion of the votes for money for Secret Service purposes since July 1st, 1867, and also the recommendation on which such Orders-in-Council were passed.

2. The statement of the auditor of various sums placed to any special account for Secret Service purposes since July 1st, 1867, and the name of the bank or banks where such accounts are kept, together with a statement from the auditor of all entries on the books of accounts since July 1st, 1867, relating in any manner to the Secret Service fund and all warrants, vouchers and accounts thereof.

3. The statement from the Ottawa branch of the Bank of Montreal of all monies deposited in Special Account for Secret Service proposes, and all payments with the dates, particulars and papers relating thereto.

4. The personal attendance of Mr. John Langton.

5. The personal attendance of Mr. Drummond, manager of the Bank of Montreal, at Ottawa.

The motion was put amid the greatest silence, and, on no one rising to oppose it, the chairman pronounced it carried.

The enquiry will be proceeded with tomorrow.

THE LOST STEAMSHIPS.

A letter has been received by the *Herald* from a Newfoundland correspondent, who believes that the loss of the George Washington, of the Cromwell Line, was due either to fire or explosion. He says:—"Whatever may have been the cause of the destruction of the George Cromwell, it is morally certain that an explosion of some kind took place on board the George Washington. The torn and fragmentary condition of the recovered bodies, as also the shrivelled and scorched appearance of some leather and pork that drove shoreward to Long Beach—all testify to the deadly work of fire or steam.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

FIRE AND DEATH.

BOSTON, Mass., March 16.—A fire in rear of the American House at midnight caused a loss of $30,000. A policeman and a fireman were seriously injured. Lewis Rice, proprietor of the American House, died of heart disease superinduced by the excitement.

A POST OFFICE APPOINTMENT.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. March 16.—A telegram reports that Gen. Vaugh has been appointed Post Master here. Business men had prepared a petition to Tilden after the election favoring Vaugh. He lost a leg in the Confederate service.

A COURT MARTIAL.

CHICAGO, March 16.—A Courtmartial at St, Paul, Minn., is trying Major Reno, of the seventh cavalry, for making improper proposals to the wife of Capt. Bell, of the same regiment, at Fort Buford last November, and circulating stories injurious to her character. Reno was in Custer's last fight.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The following are Washington specials:—The *Sun* says:—No Southerner here entertains a doubt that Hayes intends to remove the Federal troops from the States of Louisiana and west Carolina within a fortnight. There is the best authority for reporting the assertions that Hayes does not propose to revise the foreign appointments at present.

The *World* says:—It is not improbable in the absence of legislation, that the President will request certain gentlemen to represent the U. S. unofficially at the Paris Exposition.

Pierrepont and Washburne are anxious to retain their missions and are not likely to be removed.

Senator Gordon, of Georgia, held a long conference with the President last night. Gordon pledged no violence against Chamberlain or Packard if the troops were withdrawn. The President said the problem was not so hard to solve as many supposed; as soon as the Senate adjourned he would dispose of the Southern question.

The *Herald* reports Secretary Evarts said last night there would be no necessity for holding an extra session.

The *Tribune* says the Southern Republicans say if Packard is not recognized Louisiana will give 80,000 Democratic majority at the next election.

A large commercial interest, representing Northern capital, is actively at work to hasten a decision in the Louisiana and S. Carolina cases, in order that the plans for compromising the debts of the Southern States may receive encouragement.

Evarts declares he will not follow Fish's policy, but it will not hereafter be the practice to refuse to appoint naturalized German citizens or foreign born citizens of any country as diplomatic or consular officers to countries of their birth.

Strong and unexpected opposition to the confirmation of Frederick Douglass is manifested.

ARRIVAL OF SWEENEY.

Peter B Sweeney arrived yesterday from Paris.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

EUROPEAN.

AN AMNESTY PROCLAIMED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 16.—The Sultan has proclaimed a general amnesty to Bulgaria.

COPENHAGEN, March 16.—The Finance Committee of the Folkething will propose a grant of 125,000 thalers for participation by Denmark in the Paris Exhibition.

AMERICAN.

AN OFFICE FOR MCCLELLAN.

ALBANY, N. Y., March, 16.—The Governor has nominated General McClellan for Superintendent of Public Works.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—The nomination of Hoyt H. Wheeler for District Judge of Vermont, and the nominations of the Southern Claims Commission, have been confirmed by the Senate. Fred Douglass' nomination was laid over till to-morrow.

THE SILVER DOLLAR.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The *Graphic's* Washington special says that Hayes heartily favors restoring the silver dollar to its old place as the unit of value. The Cabinet is understood in a general way to sympathize with this view.

A POPULAR TESTIMONIAL.

NEWARK, N. J., March 16.—A testimonial to Justice Bradley by a large number of leading citizens, endorsing his course in the Electoral Commission, is published to-day with an appropriate reply by Bradley.

This and That.

—The latest proposition is to abolish the Senate altogether.

—Several M. P.'s are sick. Bad ventilation is what's the matter.

—Mr. Charlton will stir up the Secret Service Money matter to-day.

—Mayor Beaudry, of Montrel, has declined to walk in the St Patrick's procession.

—Fall wheat looks well in Essex and promises a large yield.

—Four piers have been built at the entrance of the Port Carling locks.

—Timbers for four churches are being laid on the ground at Port Carling.

—The annual egg product of Maine is estimated to be worth at least half a million of dollars.

—Large and interesting meetings are being held for the benefit of mission work among the sailors employed along the Welland canal.

—On the 23rd ult., maple molasses was made at Bardsville, Muskoka, and pansies were in bloom in a garden there.

—Tenders will be received up to the 28th for grading, fencing, bridging, by the Stratford and Huron Railway.

Birth.

At Belleville, on the 25th inst., the wife of H. Corby, Jr., of a daughter.

☞A common cough or cold should never be trifled with: often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Waters," a curative which has sustained its reputation for over twenty years. They are always efficacious and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

READ THIS TWICE.—Five to thirty drops of THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL, will cure common Sore Throat. It never fails in Croup. It will cure a Cold or Cough in twenty-four to forty-eight hours. One bottle has cured Bronchits of eigh years standing; recent cases are cured in three to six days. It has restored the voice where the person had not spoken above a whisper in five years. As an outward application in all cases of pain or lameness, nothing like it has ever been known. One bottle will cure any case of Lame Back or Crick in the Back. For disease of the Spine and Contraction of the Muscles it is unequaled. In Rheumatic or any other pain the first application does you good. It stops Ear Ache and the pain of a Burn in three minutes and altogether the best and cheapest medicine ever offered to the peple the cheapest, because it takes so little to do you good, It is composed of six of the best oils known, and nothing but oils. Is worth its weight in gold Why not buy it to day?—A. B. DES ROCHERTS assistant postmaster, Arthabaskaville, P. Q. writes:—"Thirteen years ago I was seized by a severe attack of rheumatism in the head, from which I have nearly constantly suffered. After having used "Thomas Eclectric Oil' for nine days, bathing the forehead, I have been completly cured, and have only used half a bottle, This I am certify under oath if you wish."—Rev. J. MALLORY, Wyoming, N. Y., writes "Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil cured me of Cronchits in one week. Dealers all over the country say, "We have never sold a medicine that has given such complete satisfaction as this."

Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cents.
S. N. THOMAS, PHELPS, N. Y.
And NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto-Ont., Sole Agents for the Dominion.
NOTE—Eclectric—Selected and Eclectrized

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o those painfnl and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, seaied from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETO $2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale b all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers,

Notice of Dissolution.

THE Law Partnership heretofore existing under the name of Dougall & Clute, is this day dissolved by effluxion of time. All persons indebted to the late firm will please settle their accounts with "Dougall & Clute," by whom all claims will be paid.

A. R. DOUGALL,
R. C. CLUTE.

Dated March 15th. 1877. d1w&w4i

"For Cash Only."

Having REMOVED to more COMMODIOUS PREMISES, where we will be able to greatly enlarge our business, we embrace the opportunity to announce that hereafter we shall adopt the CASH SYSTEM, now so generally in favor among business men.

Since starting in Belleville we have adhered as closely as possible to a CASH BASIS, and have found it ADVANTAGEOUS in many respects.

Our OBJECT has been to give our customers goods at the LOWEST POSSIBLE COST and have a small margin of PROFITS to live on. To carry out this plan SUCCESSFULLY it is absolutely necessary that RETURNS should be PROMPT. Our Capital is not sufficiently large to allow a greater share of it to be made USELESS by outstanding accounts. We need EVERY DOLLAR properly INVESTED, and furnishing QUICK RETURNS.

By adopting a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, we shall be able to SELL OUR GOODS at a figure ensuring those who buy such ADVANTAGES as would be impossible under the CREDIT SYSTEM.

We have largely INCREASED our STOCK, and with improved facilities for MANUFACTURING will promise our customers every satisfaction in return for their MONEY.

A E FISH & CO

Belleville, March 15, 1877.

$50 REWARD.

THE above reward will be paid for the recovery of the Black and Tan Bitch (and the conviction of the thief) stolen from the premises of F. M. Clarke, Bridge Street, on Tuesday afternoon, March 13th inst.

J. DeMANDEVILLE.

March 15

GOOD GOODS
CHEAP.
—o—
GREAT REDUCTION!
IN PRICES.
—o—
CLEARING SALE.
—o—
MAKING READY
FOR
NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,
No 319 Front St.,
BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 7th, 1877.

GO TO
A. N. PRINGLE'S
FOR
SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door $1.00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877, d&w3m

NEW SPRING STOCK!
—OF—
BOOTS AND SHOES,
JUST RECEIVED
AT THE KINGSTON
Panitentiary Boot & Shoe Store

CONSISTING OF

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S

Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of

Gents' Walking BOOTS,

Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.

ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,

All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash.

No. 367 FRONT STREET,

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
Mar. 14th, 1877.

NOW IS THE TIME
TO FILL YOUR
SCRAP BOOKS.

1 case SCRAP PICTURES
1 do RELIEFS
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,

H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.

March 8th, 1877. d&w

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March 7, 1877.

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NEW AMERICAN,
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G. C. HOLTON & Co
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Belleville, March 7th, 1877.

quiet, peaceable man; he has given up the business in which he was engaged; no one feels more deeply than Mr. Golding this whole trouble.

Mr. S. B. Burdett then addressed the jury for the defence.

His Lordship charged the jury strongly in favor of the prisoner.

The jury retired and in five minutes re turned into Court with a verdict of "Not Guilty."

The Judge then discharged the prisoner, addressing him as follows: "I now discharge you, and am happy to say that you leave the Court without a stain upon your character. From the evidence we have heard you acted in a very proper and becoming manner, and although it was unfortunate that such a result followed, yet you were not to blame in the matter, and there is nothing reflecting on your character. You are now discharged."

Coleman vs. Isolated Risk Insurance Company.—Settled between the parties Record withdrawn. Hon. L. Wallbridge and H. Bleecker for pltf.; Thomas Holden for defts.

Ponton *et al* vs. Culbertson.—Action on bill of costs. Verdict for plff. for $552.67, subject to the award of A. G. Northrup. Hon. L. Wallbridge for plff.; G. E. Henderson, Q. C., for deft.

RAWDON COUNCIL.

Town Hall Rawdon, March 12th, 1877.

Present—Messrs. Walker, Reeve; Elias McKim, Deputy Reeve; Cook, Jeffries and Montgomery, Councillors.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Montgomery presented the act of Samuel McGee and James Keegan for repairing the bridge across Seeley's Mill Pond, amount $58 94.

Mr. Walker presented the act of James Walker for repairing Guansey's Bridge, amount $12.00.

Tobias Sine made application for a grant of money on the road in front of Lots No. 9 and 10, in the 7th con., which was received and laid over until the June Session.

Wm. Sarles made application for a grant of money on the road between Lots No. 6 and 7, in the 7th con., which was received and laid over until the June Session.

The application of T. H. Brown to get pay for digging a ditch in front of Lot No. 5 in the 8th con., was received and laid over.

James Keegan made application to have the bridge repaired in front of Lot No. 6 in the 2nd con.

James T. Bellshaw made application for money to build a culvert in front of Lot No. 5 in the 5th con., which was received and laid over.

Moved by Mr. Cook, seconded by Mr. Jeffries, that there be only three taverns in the Township of Rawdon for the year 1877.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Cook, seconded by Mr. Montgomery, that the Auditor's report be laid over until the next meeting of the Council.—Carried.

Elijah Sarles made application to collect the taxes for the year 1877, which was received and laid over.

George Wiggins made application for making fires and cleaning Town Hall, which was received and laid over.

Robert Kingston and F. B. Parker made application for the Treasurership, which was received and laid over until the next meeting of the Council.

It was ordered that the following accounts be paid.

The account of Samuel McGee and James Keegan, for repairing the bridge across Seeley's Mill Pond; amount $58.94.

The account of James Walker, for repairing Gaunsey's Bridge; amount $12.00.

The account of George Wiggins, for goods for Ephraim Barnham and wife; amount $10.

Frederick Sine for over assessment, 75 cts.

C. A. Jordison, for auditing Township accounts, $12 00.

David McQuigg, for auditing Township accounts, $12.00.

Council adjourned until the first Monday in April.

Joseph Hogle, Clerk.

SIDNEY COUNCIL.

Town Hall, Sidney, 12th March 1877.

Council met agreeable to adjournment. Present the Reeve, B. Rose; Deputy Reeves S. T. Wilmot and R. E. Grass; Councillors R. H. Vandervort and Thomas H. Blancherd.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mr. Vandervort presented the petition of Levi Massey and others, asking the use of Town Hall for holding Grange Meeting. Laid over until Hall reinsured.

Mr. Vandervort presented the petition of Daniel Ostrom and others, asking for aid to build side walks in the Village of Frankford. Laid over until next meeting.

Mr. Grass presented the petition of George Williams and others, asking for use of Hall to hold an Orange Lodge. Laid over until Hall reinsured.

Mr. Grass presented the petition of Melinda Maybee and others, asking the Council to open road allowance between the 4th and 5th Cons. Laid over, Reeve and 2nd Deputy Reeve to examine said road and report at next meeting.

Mr. Grass presented the petition of Charles Demorest and others, asking the Council to appoint James Scott Pathmaster in Beat No. 8 in the 4th Con. Granted.

Mr. Grass precented the petition of Samuel Lawrence, asking to be paid for a road ruuing across his place. Laid over until next meeting, Clerk to notify all parties interested to attend.

Mr. Grass presented the petition of R. Mallory and others, asking for a grant to assist in cutting down the hill called Graham's Hill in the 4th Con. Laid over until next meeting, Clerk to advertise for tenders Mr Mallory to prepare a specification to be left at Clerk's Office for inspection.

Council adjourned for one hour.

Council resumed.

The Council went into Committee on By-laws when the Pathmasters, Pound-keepers and Fence Viewers, are appointed. The Pound-keepers Guide revised. A By-law for establishing the height of a lawful fence in the Township of Sidney, when the Council adjourned until the 2nd of April.

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HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

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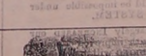

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Belleville, Jan. 9, 1876. oawtf

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WM. JOHNSON, JOHN W. JOHNSON,

Witness—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

NOTICE.

T. WALTERS,

RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the

FIRST OF APRIL, 1877

If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.

Belleville, March 10, 1877. [d2w-4tw

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Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

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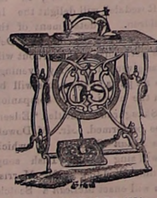

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Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
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Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

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Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,

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Belleville, March 10th, 1874.

SPRING ASSIZES.

MR. JUSTICE GWYNNE, PRESIDING.

FRIDAY, March 16.

Reed vs. Gunning.—This was an action to secure damages for breach of promise of marriage.

J. J. B. Flint for Pl'ff; E. B. Fralick for Deft.

Mr. Flint addressed the jury for the Plaintiff.

May it please your Lordship and gentlemen of the jury:—This trial is of a different character from any that have been brought before you during the present Assizes. You have been considering questions of contract and many other matters of a totally different nature. The Plaintiff Miss Henrietta Reed comes before you, and claims damages against the Deft. for a breach of promise of marriage. The Deft. is not present and I consider it as the only good feature in his conduct in this matter that he has remained away. As I shall prove to you in evidence, the Deft. paid attention to the Pl'ff. and led her and all her family to believe that his intentions were honorable, and that he intended to marry the Pl'ff. The parties reside in the township of Rawdon, and the Deft. was on very intimate terms with the Pl'ff's family. Many years ago he elicited a fondness for the Pl'ff. He was accepted by Pl'ff. and regarded by her family as her accepted suitor. The features of this case are peculiar not content with the position he assumed towards the Pl'ff. as a man of honor he seduced her, and took away the chastity of my very much injured client. Even after the Plaintiff's family condoned the offence if he would only marry her, the Pl'ff. ever remained faithful to him. After this the wedding garments were purchased and all due preparations were made for the marriage. After all this, as it appears the Deft. forgetting his relations towards my client, marries another. Under promise of marriage he seduced the Pl'ff. and then for years he held out hopes to my client that he would marry her, and make the only reparation in his power, but what does he do, he marries another person. Picture to yourselves gentlemen of the jury, the years of suffering and anguish of mind which the Pl'ff. has endured. Under the laws of this country we cannot obtain damages for seduction. Men, many men, whose bones are now lying rotting in the graveyards, having seduced their innocent victims, have been hurried into eternity by the avenging hand of an outraged father or a loving brother who jealously guarded the honor of a daughter or a sister. It is very honourable on the part of the friends and relatives of my client that nothing harsh, violent or vindictive has been done. I appeal to you as fathers and guardians to hedge round and protect the honor and virtue of your daughters. Every patriot and lover of his country must desire that this evil should be stamped out. The Deft. has been guilty of one of the darkest, most repulsive and most atrocious crimes. Though the Deft. may be worth nothing, your verdict will be nevertheless an avenging Nemesis hanging over him. I therefore appeal to you for substantial damages as the only recompense that my much injured and suffering client can obtain.

Mrs. Reed, sworn—Live in the Township of Huntingdon; am mother of plff.; deft. lived in the neighborhood 14 years ago; he was in the habit of coming to our house with good intentions towards my daughter; he afterwards spoke about marrying my daughter; it was about seven years ago; I thought it was all right; he went away for 4 or 5 years; he wrote letters to my daughter; after he came back he was intimate with my daughter; he went away a year ago and said he would be back about Christmas; he stayed at my house that night; this was March of last year; He was married about four weeks ago; he married a neighbor; we prepared clothing and bedding for my daughter's marriage; the wedding dress was bought for $25.

Cross-examined—Have lived in Huntingdon about 37 years; married 40 years; plff. is 30 years old; Gunning lived about one and a half miles from our place; she was about 16 years old when the deft. paid her attention; he went to school with my daughter; they were 2 or 3 years at school together; had three daughters at home then; she was the oldest; he commenced sparking her about 13 years ago; he used to stay late in the evenings; at first they were not alone. but after a while they used to stay up nights alone; didn't ask him his intentions when he first used to sit up; I heard my husband ask him his intentions and he said he intended to marry; I heard him once more say he was going to marry my daughter; after this he went to Michigan; my daughter used to get letters; I was looking for some things and found his letters; my daughter didn't know I found them; my daughter made her wedding clothes; I bought wedding clothes three different times; my daughter asked me to to buy these articles; she has all her wedding things and bedding now; I heard Gunning was married; he lives now in London; he worked in the shanty and was driving the river in Michigan; he worked at every kind of work at home; sometimes he would stay till 12 o'clock and sometimes later with my daughter.

Mrs. Phillips, sworn—Am sister of Pl'ff; knew Deft. ever since I can remember; he was received kindly at our house and used to come to see Henrietta; I was then about nine years old; he has always been courting my sister; Gunning used always to come and take my sister out every place; she never kept company with any young man; she got a ring from the Deft.; that is a picture she got from him; it is his likeness; that was two years ago last fall; that is also a likeness of the Deft.; Henrietta had it 7 or 8 years ago; had a conversation with Deft. about my sister; he said he was going to get married if he ever came home from Michigan; he came home a year and a half ago; she made every preparation for her wedding; he came to see her frequently; he is now married; he married Margaret Rowlands 4 or 5 weeks ago; he was considered as Henrietta's suitor.

Cross-examined — His brother married my sister; Gunning never paid me any attention; Gunning asked me when I was going to get married; my sister wears the ring he gave her; he was constantly at our house; he used to come during the week and always on Sunday.

C. D. Fox, sworn—Live in Rawdon; know Gunning about 8 or 10 years; I was often at Mrs. Reed's during the last 4 years; have seen the Deft. there different times frequently last winter; heard the family say that Pl'ff. and Deft were going to be married; saw them at an oyster supper; several letters came addressed to the Pl'ff.; Gunning is married; she got her wedding things.

Cross-examined—Live five miles from Reed's; I married a sister of the pltf, was courting my wife two years; saw Gunning frequently at the house; never paid attention to any girl but my wife; frequently met other young fellows at Reed's; saw the wedding clothes before they were made.

W. Reed sworn—Know the deft.; was in the habit of visiting our house; I thought he was courting my sister; he kept company with her for years; she never kept company with any one else; was married last spring; I have carried letters to her from the post-office, and from her directed to Gunning.

A. Phillips sworn—Know the deft.; he kept company only with Henrietta; Gunning came to see her at my house; they were supposed to be going to get married.

Cross-examined—Am married to pltf.'s sister; was courting my wife a year.

John P. Fox sworn—Live in Huntingdon, two and a half miles from Reed's; know the pltf and deft.; I stopped one night at Reed's, and inferred that Gunning and pltf. were sparking.

Cross-examined—Left them sitting up when I went to bed at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Fralick addressed the jury for the defence.

May it please your Lordship and Gentlemen of the Jury:—My learned friend in addressing you was no doubt warm, enthusiastic and sympathetic; and he should have added to his address the words of the "Old Play":

"Credit me, friend, it hath been ever thus
Since the Ark rested on Mount Ararat;
False man hath sworn, and woman hath believed,
Repented and reproached, and then believed once more."

He, no doubt, felt pity and compassion for his fair client, even as I do, and as I have no doubt you do. There is nothing that we hold so dear as woman's honor and virtue. Since our holy religion was first preached by the Sea of Tiberias to the present hour, woman's virtue has ever been sacredly guarded. I must refer to the circumstance that was alluded to by my learned friend when he addressed you. I mean the unhappy fact that the blot or blemish of unchastity attaches to the plaintiff. Her honor and virtue are tarnished, and had she felt the anguish and suffering described by my learned friend she would never have dragged this case into a court of justice, and published and proclaimed to the world the story of her shame. Such cases as these are not numerous in the present day. Cases of breach of promise of marriage are looked upon as but poor compensation for injured or unrequited affection. The great absurdity of such cases has been well portrayed by Charles Dickens in the "Pickwick Papers," in the case of "Bardell v. Pickwick." The deft. is blamed for the misfortune of the fair pltf.; but in these cases the man is not always to blame. An action for breach of promise of marriage is generally concomitant to an action for seduction; and in the whole range of my professional experience I never knew of a single fair pltf. in an action for breach of promise who had not been previously seduced. In fact, it is only women susceptible of being seduced who have the rashness to bring an action for breach of promise. Those alone who are devoid of all virtue and womanly feeling are the class who seek redress at the hands of a jury,—and they are the very last ones to deserve it. They claim action for breach of promise! Why, the very fact of their bringing the action at all is sufficient answer to it. Actions for breach of promise of marriage are ridiculous, scandalous, and absurd. The pltf., we are told, has suffered much. If she were a virtuous woman we might be inclined to believe it.

"When lovely woman stoops to folly,
And finds too late that men betray,
What charm can soothe her melancholy?
What art can wash her grief away?
The only art her grief to cover—
To hide her shame from every eye—
To bring repentance to her lover,
And wring his bosom, is—to die!"

The fair Henrietta did not die; she yet lives; and it would have been better for her, and her future prospects would have been much better, if she had not brought this case before you and the world at large, and thus publish her shame and dishonor. Why, it may be asked, did not the deft. marry the pltf.? My learned friend said that his fair client had been seduced. But by whom? There has not been a shadow of evidence to show that the deft. did so. Not a single witness in the box has sworn to it. On the contrary it was because of knowing this that my client did not marry the pltf. I put it to you gentlemen would you have done so under similar circumstances. Would you any more than the deft. have made a woman with such a stain upon her character your wife and the mother of your children. No. The woman who would so far forget herself as to lose her chastity before the marriage knot was tied under the sanction of morality and religion was not the woman that the deft. would make the mother of his children. Like Cæsar's wife we desire our wives to be above suspicion. Cæsar when he learned that a rumour was abroad that his wife was too intimate with another noble Roman divorced her because he said not that he believed her guilty, but that Cæsar's wife should be above reproach. The fair pltf. may have suffered, and I doubt not she has suffered but not at the hands of the deft. She comes before you to-day and for what? Is it to restore her honor? No you cannot. She asks you to give her gold to award her damages. I shall leave the case now in your hands and ask for a verdict for the deft.

His Lordship charged the jury after which they retired, and in half an hour returned into Court with a verdict for the pltf. and $500 damages.

SATURDAY, March 17th.

Hart vs. Anderson.—Action of ejectment to recover possession of west half of lot 18, 1st Con. of Huntingdon, County of Hastings. Defence, equitable plea. Verdict for Pltf. 1s. damages. Bleecker for Pltf.; Fralick for Deft.

Hazleton vs. Crooks.—Action of covenant on mortgage. Verdict for Pltf. for $1,430. Holden and Jellett for Pltf; Dougall & Clute for Deft.

MONDAY, March 19th.

Brown vs. Nerrie.—Action of ejectment to recover lot No. 12, 13th Con. of Rawdon, County of Hastings, tried by Judge without Jury. Pltf. claims title as follows:

1. Deed from late J. W. D. Moodie, then Sheriff of the County of Hastings, to Edmund Terwood, dated 10th Feb., 1857, sold to him for arrears of taxes. 2. Deed dated Dec. 4th, 1874, from said Edmund Garwood and wife to N. B. Falkiner. 3 Deed from N. B. Falkiner and wife to the Pltf., dated 2nd Dec., 1875. Deft. limits his defence to the south half of the lot, and claims title as follows:—

1. Length of possession. 2. By deed from Hon. Edmund Murney to Deft. 3. By deed from Deft. to Rolly Nerrie. 4. By deed from Rolly Nerrie to Deft. The usual points taken that arise on tax titles. Verdict for Pltf. Clute and Jellett for Pltf.; Flint for Deft.

McAdie vs. Western Assurance Company.—Action on policy of assurance. Pltf. not being ready to go on withdrew the record. Henderson & Henderson for Pltf. Bethune & Gordon for Deft.

—Smallpox has appeared at Weston, near Toronto, and six persons are suffering. The infection was taken from rags in a shoddy factory.

—A gentleman of position, who lived in a fashionable quarter, has suddenly left Quebec for parts unknown, deeply regretted by his creditors. He was married.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 19

On Saturday next the annual boat race between representatives of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge will come off over the usual course. The general opinion is that the "dark blues" will win.

The *Mail* claims to represent the wishes of two-thirds of the people of Ontario on the tariff question. Let us see. Had all the members from this Province been present when the division was taken on Mr. Wood's amendment the vote would have stood: For protection, 34; contra, 56, or a majority of 22 for the Government and against the Opposition and the *Mail*.

We know that a few of our people have encouraged the belief that civil and religious liberty exist only in the United States, and that no man is denied official power on account of his faith. The voters of New Hampshire have refused to strike the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights, and Roman Catholics will continue to be ineligible to the highest offices in the State. How does this action on the part of a Republican people compare with existing laws and opinions in Canada and England?

Our telegrams yesterday announced that seven of the Gentlemen Cricketers of England, accompanied by Grace, the champion cricketer of the world, and several distinguished noblemen, intend visiting America in June. They will undoubtedly meet with a hearty reception, both in the United States and Canada, and an opportunity will be afforded for witnessing some professional playing rarely seen in this country. Lord George Francis Harris is the projector of the movement.

THE INSANE.

Mr. Langmuir's annual report of the asylum for the insane at Toronto, which has lately been published, refers to matters down to 30th September, 1876. We are impressed of the oft-recurring fact that there is an abnormal increase in the lunatic population of our country, and that this increase can be traced to known causes. Mr. Langmuir tells us that at the close of the previous year there were 630 patients remaining in the asylum, and the highest number at any one time was 700. During the last year, however, the highest number, on any one day, had increased to 956. The average daily population appears to be 817, though the number of patients in the asylum is, as a matter of course, subject to fluctuation, and from various causes, such as deaths, restorations, removals, and new admissions. Last year there were 297 new patients admitted; 112 discharges, 79 of whom were cured; and 71 deaths. The number of deaths is said to have been unusually large. The total cost of each patient for the year was $133.52; or, on an average daily population of 817, an aggregate cost of $82,382.24 per annum. The receipts from paying patients amounted to $17,189.48, and casual revenue to $1,067.10. Hence, the actual cost of the asylum to the Province was $64,125.66. The total number of patients admitted since the opening of the institution was 4,698. Of these, 2,481 were males and 2,217 females. The social condition of the patients is given as follows:—Married, 2,547; single, 2,151. It is a remarkable fact that not a single widow or widower was ever admitted as a patient. The religious denominations given do not bear out what has been generally believed. The patients are classified as follows:—Presbyterians, 1,094; Episcopalians, 1,366; Roman Catholics, 1,050; Methodists, 748; Baptists, 34; Congregationalists, 54; Quakers, 37; Mennonites, 2; and other denominations, 311. It has been supposed that the more emotional religious practices were liable to lead to insanity; but the above figures do not sustain that conclusion. The nationalities were: Irish, 1,594; English, 777; Canadian, 1,316; Scotch, 688; United States, 173; other countries, 150. The professions afford another correction of popular opinion. We find 876 domestics, 691 farmers, 623 laborers, &c., while those employments accessitating mental labor are lightly represented. The general condition of the asylum is highly spoken of by the Inspector.

THE GRAND JUNCTION AGAIN.

We confess to being somewhat surprised at the reticence, if not actual indifference, of our local contemporary, with regard to what transpired at the annual meeting of the Grand Junction stockholders on Saturday. From the position taken at that meeting by Mr. Bowell and others known to be in the confidence of our neighbor, it was only reasonable to suppose that no uncertain sound would be given on matters of so much interest to the general public. We are weary of promises that mean little more than rank deception, and for the people, whom we represent, demand immediate action. Mr. Brown has our confidence and respect. He is not only a Canadian, but, what is still more, he is a Belleviliian. His reputation as a contractor stands well, and his ability to carry out the engagements entered into is unquestioned. For these reasons we give him the preference. But it is only on the condition that he no longer delays the construction of the road. On this point all other considerations hinge. He may be honest in his intentions (and we scarcely doubt it), but his associates and advisers do not beget that confidence which the nature of the enterprise demands. There has been too much of a disposition to speculate on the bonuses voted in good faith by the people. The movement in favor of a further adjournment of the business connected with the annual meeting increased the suspicion already felt, and forced upon us the disagreeable necessity of making a complaint. Subsequent proceedings of the Board and the Contractor will be closely watched, and every promise honorably redeemed shall receive from us a willing acknowledgement. But, we repeat, unless the work of construction is immediately renewed and prosecuted faithfully, we must advocate a transfer of the contract to Messrs. Pardee & Lloyd.

Editorial Notes.

Mr. Mackenzie is expected to return to the Capital to-morrow.

It is rumored that the wealthiest capitalist and shipowner of Montreal has become insolvent.

Another pilgrimage to Rome is being organized to start from Quebec. It is to be exclusively French.

This week's *Globe* will contain a portrait of Rev. W. L. Rainsford, the Episcopalian evangelist.

Rev. Mr. Hunter, of Ottawa, does not believe in the abolition of the death penalty.

Mayor Waller, of Ottawa, an Irish Roman Catholic, deprecates the cry raised of "Scotch ascendancy."

Geo. Lalonde, clerk in Henry Morgan's dry-goods store, Montreal, committed suicide on Saturday night. He had fallen into disgrace.

Winnipeg *Free Press*: Mr. John H. Bell returned last evening from a trip below. He reports dull times in Ontario, and the country east so slow as to make a Winnipeg man almost homesick.

Mr. Belford, the Ottawa editorial correspondent of the *Mail*, is seriously ill at the Russell House with erysipelas in the face. His friends are much alarmed, as he grows worse and is very low to-day. He has been absent from the gallery for a week.

The Premier has instructed Mr. Bethune, Q. C., to proceed for damages for libel against the Sarnia *Canadian*, Toronto *Mail* and all the papers that copied the item to the effect that his brother had profited handsomely by a large quantity of tubing which was placed in the tariff recently under a duty of 17½ per cent.

The Thousand Island Park Company has issued a bulletin, containing an outline of their programme for 1877. The exercises begin July 18th, and include a camp-meeting, temperance meeting, æsthetic and scientific conference, and Sunday-school parliament. Full particulars will be given in the newspaper which will be published by the Association soon.

The appeal in the case of Smiles vs. Belford has been dismissed. This settles the copyright question. British authors can register and publish their works in Canada if they choose, but if they prefer to have the Canadian works supplied from the United States they cannot be interfered with by publishers in Canada. The practical result is to drive a part of the Canadian publishing business across the border.

On Friday afternoon last a sad accident occurred to Robert Kelly, lot 15, con. 17, Hullett. He went to the woods about two o'clock to chop. Some parties called at his place about three o'clock to see him. Not finding him at home, they went to the wood to see him, and found him lying in the snow almost lifeless, with a large wound in his head. From his position it is supposed a splinter from a falling tree had struck him. He has since died. He leaves a wife and four children.

POOR AND SANITARY.

Mr. Editor.—Below please find statment of expenditure for the two months ending the 15th inst., the period transpired since your humble servant has had the honor (?) of being dispenser of public charities. The figures in the column to the left indicate the number of recipients in each work:—

8	Baldwin Ward	$ 41.85	
10	Sannom "	71.25	
1	Ketcheson "	8.75	
25	Bleeker "	134 00	
22	Murney "	135.25	
24	Coleman "	162.75	
51	Foster "	228.50	
Tot'l 141	Unknown "	6.00	785.25
Of the above amounts there were orders on groceries		400.00	
Orders on Treas'r for wood		268.75	
" " for keeping of infirm persons		116 50	782 25
To-day's dispensing		83.50	

I cannot refrain offering a few remarks, as it occurs to me that the "modus operandi" of dispensing is extremely bad, both as to the finances of the Town and the really deserving poor themselves. The wonder is, that the system has not been changed long ago, and I can only account for it on the principle that each Chairman of Poor and Sanitary intends holding office only one year, and contents himself with the thought that the year will not be long slipping past, and he will then be relieved. In this lies the evil; for each new Chairman is pounced upon by the worthy alike; and, just about the time his term of office expires, he begins to really know his recipients; too late. The next Chairman shares a similar fate, and so the grievance is repeated from year to year—to say nothing of the amount of labor and annoyance attached to the Chairmanship itself.

Having said so much; you will please allow me to offer a few suggestions as to the remedy.

Were the finances of the Town in as healthy a condition as they should be, I would say unite with the country and erect a suitable House of Refuge with proper grounds attached; but as this seems out of the question at present, I would say erect or rent a building in the Town suitable for such persons as are already billeted amongst some half dozen keepers at various charges, and employ proper persons to take charge of it; also appoint an Inspector of Poor at a small salary whose duty it should be to visit all, seeking assistance, report to, and work in harmony with, the Chairman, so that fraud and deception might be avoided, and the deserving poor taken care of as becomes a charitable people.

Jas. Meagher,
Chairman of
Poor and Sanitary.

Belleville, March 16th, 1877.

SECRET SERVICE MONEY.

At a special meeting of the Public Accounts Committee on Saturday the Secret Service matter came up, and a full statement of the amounts deposited and disbursed through the Ottawa branch of the Bank of Montreal was received from the manager, Mr. Drummond. As made up from the Government books, the following appeared:—

1868—vote for service, $50,000; expenditure, $15,086.41; balance, $34,913.59. In 1869—balance taken from old Canada, $8,395; total on hand, $43,312.42; expenditure, $33,103.88; balance, $10,218.64. 1870—Balance used completely. 1871—Vote of $75,000; expenditure, $30,000, $10,000 and $35,000; total, $75,000. So that in 1871 every dollar of the fund to that date has been paid away.

This statement classes with 1871. The proceedings were ably conducted by Mr. Charlton, and the meeting was very noisy and excited. Three facts were established, viz.:—

1st. That the late Government, at the Confederation had brought forward and used $8,395, which was the unexpended balance of monies voted for Secret Service, to which they had no right, being the property of Old Canada. 2nd. That at the end of each year, the unexpended balances since Confederation had not been surrendered as the English practice requires. 3rd. And that the payment of Secret Service money were made since 1867 under an order in Council passed before Confederation.

EDWARD BLAKE.

The Editor of the Prince Edward Island *Patriot* is at Ottawa, and we find the following in his personal sketches:—Mr. Blake resorts to none of the orator. He speaks coolly and deliberately and with sufficient animation. His language is very good, but plain. His sarcasm is quiet, but most cutting and contemptuous. He is a master of irony. His compliments at times inflict the most severe wounds. The man that he undertakes to castigate, unless he has the hide of a rhinoceros, is to be pitied.

"Dublin and Her Monuments."

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March 20, 1877. 3i

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In the Metropolitan Hall,

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Mar 17, 1877. d&wlw

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All persons indebted to the late firm will please settle their accounts with "Dougall & Clute," by whom all claims will be paid.

A. R. DOUGALL,
R. C. CLUTE.

Dated March 15th. 1877. d1w&wdi.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

The Malicious Report of the

DEATH AND BURIAL

—OF—

CHEAP JOHN!

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AGAIN IN THE FIELD,

AND WILL

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Against High Prices!

At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of

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DRY GOODS:

UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Sheetings 10c per yard; Winceys 8c per yard; Lustres 13c per yd; Prints 5c pec yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Pins 3c per paper; Flannels 15c per yard: Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All-Wool Shawls $2.25.

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March 13, 1877.

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Steerage To and from all points at reduced rates.

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Shop Keepers.

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BREWERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that all

APPLICATIONS for LICENSES

For the sale of

Spirituous and Fermented Liquors,

In the License District of

WEST HASTINGS,

For the year 1877-78, must be made to the undersigned at the Committee Room in the Market Buildings, on or before the

FIRST day of APRIL Next

Applicants must come prepared with the names of sureties they propose to offer.

JAMES ROSS,
License Inspector.

March 16, 1877.

A. R. DOUGALL,

BARRISTER & ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public Conveyancer, &c. Office—No. 5, Graham Block mar17-1y

To Market Gardiners!

And those who are preparing

HOT-BEDS,

We would say our stock of

GARDEN SEEDS

Is now complete, and in

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We have been particularly careful in selecting

The Very Best Varieties

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March. 17, 1877.

GLASS

SYRUP JUGS

(Covered.)

17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

These are New and Cheap.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Mar. 14th, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS for SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
Express, ... 6:10 p m
... 9:45 p m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ... 12.22 a m
xed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at ... 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at ... 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at ... 2 p m
" Trenton at ... 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 19.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

ENGLISH MAIL.—The S. S. Circassian arrived at Halifax at 8:30 yesterday morning with the English mail.

BREACH OF PROMISE.—The case which came up at the present assizes is reported in to-day's issue and will well repay perusal.

COMING.—Lord Cecil is announced to visit here and has engaged the Town Hall in which he will preach.

EASTER CATTLE FAIR.—The annual fair takes place to-morrow and interested parties should govern themselves accordingly.

CHEESE.—The outlook for this branch of industry is more cheering than at this time last year. This is indeed encouraging.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4 00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

A GOOD IDEA.—The Police Commissioners of Kingston have agreed to give $20 or a medal of like value to the officers who obtains the highest number of good marks in a year.

"DUBLIN AND HER MONUMENTS."—Capt. Kerwin will lecture on the above subject in the Temperance Hall, Robertson Block, on Thursday evening.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL.—The revival services carried on in the West Belleville C. M. Church have resulted in the conversion of over one hundred persons.

PALM SUNDAY.—We suppose it is generally known that next Sunday is Palm Sunday. As professional newsmongers, however, we cannot help making the announcement.

SPRING.—Those people who are beginning to count the number of days before the 1st of April and speculate about the weather, should be reminded that one of the heaviest snow storms of last season took place on the 29th of March.

THEY PASS US BY.—Profs. Randolph and Cecil do not deem it expedient to give the Belleville public a spiritual exposition just now and they therefore give us the "go-by." They will however favor us with a call on their trip eastward.

Every one speaks well of it, and those who have been there once patronise the place ever afterwards. It is necessary to add that we refer to the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.?

ON HIS DIGNITY.—The sexton of the Presbyterian Church, Gananoque is in sore distress and his mind is greatly troubled by those who go to church and expectorate tobacco juice on the floor. The poor man has the sympathy of every Anti Tobacco Association in the land.

THE COUNCIL.—The meeting last night resolved itself into one of general inquiry and quite a number of questions were asked. The meetings of this year's body are very business like and there is an almost entire absence of those wordy debates which formed such a prominent feature of last year's Council.

THE DUNKIN ACT IN PRINCE EDWARD.—The Picton *Gazette*, speaking of Mr. Totten's report on the working of the Dunkin Act in Prince Edward, says: "It is but fair to say that Mr. Totten's statements were quite correct at the time they were made, but the position of things have somewhat changed for the better since then, although it cannot be said that the Dunkin Act is working as successfully as its warm advocates could desire."

THE REV. W. F. CRAFTS.—Yesterday's Kingston *News* says:—"The Rev. W. F. Crafts, the eminent Sunday School worker, is to lecture in Belleville on Thursday evening. Mr. Crafts is a young man, but he has made for himself a name in connection with the Sunday School Parliament at Wells' Island last year, and is very popular wherever he goes." We see by the Toronto press that Mr. Crafts preached twice in that city on Sunday last—in the morning in the Jarvis St. Baptist Church, and in the evening in the Metropolitan Methodist Church, and is to conduct a Sunday School Institute on two evenings of this week.

ST. THOMAS CHURCH.—The matter of using the Town Hall by the congregation of St. Thomas Church was brought up in the Council last night, and from the information given we are led to think that it was about time the free-use of the hall by that body was stopped. More than a year has elapsed since the church was destroyed; nothing has been done toward re-erecting the edifice, and matters as they stand do not present a gratifying aspect. Lighting such a large hall costs considerable, so also does the heating; the latter item being quite a large one. There is Christ Church which could be used by this congregation, as it has only been occupied at intervals during a long period. We hope some action will be taken that will result in a fair settlement of this matter, as the town cannot afford to be at too great an expense in order to accommodate one particular congregation.

Police Court.

(Before His Worship the MAYOR)

TUESDAY, March 20, 1877.

DISORDERLY.

John Downs appeared on remand, and was dismissed.

LARCENY.

Nathaniel Weese, charged with stealing 7.00 from Henry Covert, was discharged.

THE FREE HOTEL.—Seven tramps and two prisoners were sheltered in the free hotel last night.

TOWN COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber last evening at eight o'clock.

PRESENT—His Worship the Mayor. Messrs. S. Hambly, Holden, Pringle, St. Charles, Patterson, Lingham, Meagher, Pope, Brennan, Ridley and Price.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS, &C.

The following communications were read.

From Johnathan Spry asking the Council to pay damages for injury to his premies by a charivari party.

From George Walters and others asking for improvements on Catharine Street.

From Mrs. Somers asking for remission of her taxes.

From Geo. Filliter stating that the Street Surveyor be asked to change the sidewalk near the ashery so that he could eret a portico on his property there.

From W. P. O'Brien giving price &c., of Pneumatic Fire Extinguisher.

From G. D. Armstrong relative to the furnishing of a fire alarm telegraph.

A number of accounts were handed in and read.

Filliter's petition was laid on the table and the other matters were referred to their appropriate Committees.

REPORTS.

With reference to the Market and Police Committee Mr. Pope said the Committee had not got through with their labors and consequently could not report.

The Fire Water & Gas Committee recommended that the petition of Mr. Gilbert with reference to a fire alarm apparatus be not entertained, and that the gas saving apparatus had been tried.

The Poor & Sanitary Committee reported stating that 141 poor persons were assisted by them, and that $865,75 had been disbursed; the Committee recommend that a Poor Inspector be appointed, and that James Ross receive the situation.

Mr. Pope reported that Policeman McCoy had been suspended for one month.

Mr. Brennan asked with reference to the lighting of the lamps in Coleman and Murray Wards.

Mr. S. Hambly said the matter was under consideration.

The Mayor said that the Committee on the division of Murney Ward would report at another meeting.

Mr. Pope asked that his by-law for the appointment of a Poor Inspector be allowed to stand.—Granted.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The several reports on motion were received.

Council went into Committee on Ways and Means.—Mr. Patterson in the Chair.

Mr. Holden moved that the Street paylist be passed and that the requisition of the School Trustees be paid.—Carried.

The Fire, Water and Gas Committee's report was passed as was also that of the Poor and Sanitary Committee.

Committee rose and reported.—Adopted.

With regard to Mr. Filliter's petition Mr. Pope asked for information.

Mr. Pringle said that the sidewalk had been in possession of the town as long as he knew of. He had met Mr. F. and had viewed the place; he had called The Committee together but no meeting had been had; that Mr. F. had taken action which led him to ask the presence of a policeman to put a stop thereto.

Mr. Pope said Mr. Filliter had called on Mr. Evans who surveyed the property and defined the land and if the town occupied his land we should move off it.

Mr. Ridley suggested that the Solicitor be consulted in the premises.

Mr. Patterson said the town couldn't hold a man's land to his damage.

Mr. Pringle said if the line shown was the proper one he did not wish to deprive Filliter of his property.

Mr. Pope said if the land was defined and the Solicitor called in, the subject could receive consideration.

Mr. Pope moved seconded by Mr. Patterson that Mr. Filliter's petition be granted.

Mr. Holden said that the town had occupied the land for 20 years and therefore it belonged to the corporation.

Mr. Ridley moved that the matter be referred to the Solicitor.

Mr. Patterson said the town would do an injustice to Mr. Filliter if action was not taken at once.

Mr. Brennan asked that the matter be left to the Street Committee.

Mr. Patterson said that the petition had been presented six weeks ago, and should be acted on now.

Mr. Pringle said the petition had only been presented since the last meeting.

Mr. Pope said if action was taken by the Committee he would withdraw his motion.

Mr. S. Hambly wanted the motion referred to the Committee on Streets and the Solicitor.

Mr. Pope withdrew his motion and the matter was referred to the Committee.

Mr. S Hambly with regard to the fire apparatus said the couplings were in good use as far as applicable.

Mr. Pope spoke in reference to the rubbing off of the paint on the dials of the town clock. He asked for information in regard to this matter. The case might cause trouble with Mr. McFee in regard to the fulfilment of his contract.

Mr. S. Hambly said he had given no orders to rub off the paint. If Mr. McFee would attend to his contract the clock would be better lighted and managed. Besides there was only one light used now instead of sixteen as formerly.

The subject then dropped.

Mr. Pope asked with reference to a petition of Mr. Fish presented at a former meeting.

Mr. Holden said Mr. Fish's account would come before the proper Committee.

Mr. Price asked with reference to the proposed investigation in regard to the Police records.

Mr. Pope said the Magistrate would go on with the case as soon as a charge was laid.

Mr. Ridley asked about the Government Commission.

Mr. Pope said the evidence was now being prepared.

With regard to the investigation by the Magistrate into the theft of the Police records, Mr. Brennan said that unless something was done Mr. Petrie would bring the subject before the Council.

Mr. Holden with reference to the use of the Town Hall, asked Mr. Pope if there was any arrangement made in regard to the use of the hall by the St. Thomas Church Congregation.

Mr. Pope said that about $70 had been paid by that body for gas &c.

The Clerk at the Council's request stated that the hall had been let to the congregation with the supposition that it would only be used for a month or two. Full charge was applied for gas.

Mr. Pope said in regard to the fuel supply that the congregation should pay for the coal.

Mr. Holden said he only asked the question because he didn't think that any congregation should use the hall for a permanency. He had been handed an account for fuel by an official of the town which he presented.

Mr. Pope said that he had given the individual in question an order for coal.

Mr. Holden said Mr. Henderson had given the order he had spoken of, which amounted to $118. He didn't think Mr. H. should give orders for such matters.

Mr. Pope said he was informed it took one ton a Sunday to keep the St. Thomas Church congregation warm.

Mr. Pringle asked about the shed that was to be used for the breaking of stone.

Mr. Patterson said that the place was hired from Mr. Denmark, and he thought the rent was to be $100.

The Council adjourned.

GENTLEMANLY.

The Hamilton *Times* Ottawa correspondent says;—"Intense indignation is expressed at a dastardly deed on the part of the Ottawa editorial correspondent of the Halifax *Herald*. Mr. Yeo, one of the members for Prince Edward Island, is a most kindly-hearted, good-natured, intelligent and prosperous business man, and has been for years in public life, but he has the natural deformity of being hump-backed. A few evenings ago, modestly enough, he rose and spoke briefly upon a maritime question, whereupon the said editorial correspondent had the heartlessness to inform his paper that Mr. Yeo, who "had a trouble upon his back and upon his mind," made a few remarks. This sneer, coming from a peculiarly sensitive and polished member of the "party of gentlemen," will not pass unnoticed, and an effort may be made to have him apologize or leave the press gallery."

STAMPS ON PROMISSORY NOTES.

The two clauses of Mr. Irving's Bill respecting stamps on promissory notes and bills of exchange are as follows: "1st. It shall be sufficient, in the case of any such bill of exchange or promissory note, for any bank, broker, holder, or party to such note, at the time of the acceptance, payment, or endorsation thereof, to affix thereto and cancel the proper single stamps therefor, and the date of cancellation, to be marked thereon, shall be the true date of such cancellation, and such date need not agree with the date of the instrument, but in all other respects the mode of affixing and cancelling the stamps shall be the same as in ordinary cases when the instrument is made or drawn within Canada and any subsequent holder or party shall have the same privilege of giving validity to such instruments by affixing and cancelling double stamps as now exists as to notes and bills drawn and made in Canada. 2nd. No stamps shall be required for promissory notes both drawn and made payable out of Canada which shall stand on the same footing as bills of exchange, under section four of the Act, thirty-seven Victoria, chapter forty-seven."

DIVORCES.

The London "Advertiser" quotes some figures which show the tendency of the American people to treat the marriage rite with disrespect, and for trivial offences dissolve a union that should be practically indissoluble. Since 1873 no fewer than 652 divorce cases have been entered in Wayne Co., Michigan, of which 37 have occurred since the beginning of the present year. Having noticed this fact, the "Advertiser" very sagely remarks:—

"We believe most firmly that nineteen-twentieths of whatever solid happiness this world can afford is found within the home circle. We are strongly of the opinion that the vast majority of marriages, in Canada at least, are in the main happy marriages—that is, that the bulk of their happiness and comfort far exceeds the bulk of their unhappiness and discomfort. If marriage is not the happiest state in the world to all who are within its fold, as it might and ought to be, it is not the fault of the institution, but the fault of the persons. All Parliaments and Legislatures should regard marriage from the standpoint that it should be a union for life, and any legislation which, by encouraging free and easy divorce, assails this theory, strikes through the family at the highest well-being of the state.

We sincerely trust the time may never come when by any injudicious loosening of our laws the records of Canada will present so deplorable an exhibit as that which comes to us in the American paper we have quoted."

IMPROPER USE OF FIRE-ARMS.

Mr. Blake's bill to make provision against the improper use of fire-arms, enacts that whosoever has upon his person a pistol without reasonable cause to fear an assault, or other injury to his person, or family, or property, may, on complaint being made before a Justice of the Peace, be required to find sureties for keeping the peace for a term not exceeding six months and in default of such sureties is to be imprisoned for a term not exceeding 30 days. Whosoever when arrested either on a warrant for committing, or whilst committing an offence has a pistol in possession shall be liable to a fine of not less than $20, nor more than $50 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months. Whosoever has upon his person a pistol, with intent therewith to do injury to any other person, shall be liable to a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $200, or imprisonment not exceeding six months. The magistrate is authorized *prima facie* to infer under the clause that there is an evil intent from the simple fact of a pistol being carried. Who-soever, without lawful excuse, points at another any firearm, whether loaded or unloaded, shall be liable to a fine of not less than $20 or to imprisonment for thirty days.

Condensed Telegrams:

MORNING DESPATCHES.

—The daughter of Daniel Boone, of Cincinnati, was fatally injured by a bull dog while feeding the animal.

—Marshal Jewell, an old hunter, was recently killed by Apaches in Texas. His companions are now seeking revenge.

—About ten acres of ground over the Diamond Mine at Wilkesbarre, Pa., settled suddenly about ten inches last night. The people living on the space were much frightened, but not hurt.

—Thousands of people are starving at Scranton, Pa., and should the miners strike as they threaten, about 9,000 additional idle men will be thown on the community.

—It is reported that Packard has hired a band of desperadoes to storm the police stations of New Orleans.

—The *World* says no combination can upset the positive majority of the Democrats in the next House.

—Gov. Hayes is now making his appointments to foreign missions. There are plenty of candidates.

—A dynamite plot to blow up the stone foundries employing non-union men has been discovered at Troy, N. Y.

—The body of a well dressed man, about 50 years of age, has been found on the track of the Hudson River R.R. near Kingsbridge. Suicide is suspected.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES.

The Russian fleet will sail to-morrow for New York from Hampton Roads, Va.

A severe shock of earthquake lasting 40 seconds, was felt at North Troy Vt., this morning.

Abner Haines, State Senator from Butler, Ca., was found dead at his boarding house in Columbus, O., this morning.

A London dispatch says Russia refuses to demobolize until there has been a preliminary demobolization by Turkey.

—President Hayes' Cabinet met this morning at 10 o'clock. The Southern affairs are under consideration, and the utmost harmony prevails.

—A rumor prevails that the extreme section of Ultramontanes at Rome are enlisting adherents to create a Roman question. Father Beckx, general of the Jesuits, warmly favors the movement.

"BLOOD WILL TELL."

How rarely we meet a person of whom we can say, he or she is the "*picture of health!*" We daily meet those whose faces betray the presence of dyspepsia, debility, some liver affection or impoverished blood. The blood is the life. When out of order many symptoms are manifest that are attributed to other causes, and yet when this is corrected all disappear. An unsurpassed agent for purifying and enriching the blood is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It imparts the "bloom of youth" that art only imitates. Under its use, the "sallow tinge" of the skin, as well as pimbles, blotches, and eruptions, disappear.

—An insect, the phylloxera, is ravaging the vines of France.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 20.

Greenbacks buying at	94½ to 94¾
" selling at	95½ to 95¾
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	84½

Gold opened at 104¾; closed at 104⅝.

ALL YOU CLAIM FOR YOUR LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA, Dr. Giles' is correct. I used it with great success on my horse Henry. It is the host article I ever came across. One trial will convince any horseman of its value. THOMAS WALLACE, of Flannagan & Wallace, Brewers, New York.

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See what the Clergy say:

REV. R. H. Craig, Princeton, N. J., says—"Last summer when I was in Canada I caught a bad cold in my throat. It became so bad that often in the middle of my sermon my throat and tongue would become so dry I could hardly speak. My tongue was covered with a white parched crust, and my throat was much inflamed. An old lady of my congregation advised me to use the "Shoshonees Remedy," which she was then using. The first dose relieved me, and in a few days my throat was nearly well. I discontinued the use of it, but my throat not being entirely well, became worse again. I procured another supply, and I am happy to say that my throat is entirely well and the white crust has all disappeared. I wish that every minister who suffers from sore throat would try the "Great Shoshonees Remedy."

Rev. Geo. W. Grout, Stirling, Ont., says—"Mrs. George Francis was severely afflicted with kidney disease, and had been under the care of three physicians without any beneficial result. She has since taken four bottles of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and now enjoys the best of health.

Rev. T. C. Brown, Brooklyn, Ont., says—"My wife was very low with lung disease, and given up by her physician. I bought a bottle of the "Shoshonees Remedy," and at the end of two days she was much better. By continuing the Remedy she was perfectly restored." Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

AUCTION SALES.

PARTIES desirous of securing our services for the disposal of Household Effects, Live Stock, Farming Implements, Real Estate, &c., at Auction, during the Spring Months, will oblige by notifying us as soon as possible. Auction Sales entrusted to our care will receive the strictest personal attention. An extensive experience in conducting large Auction Sales of Merchandise and Effects enables us to guarantee satisfaction.

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By adopting a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, we shall be able to SELL OUR GOODS at a figure ensuring those who buy such ADVANTAGES as would be impossible under the CREDIT SYSTEM.

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CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.
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A SPECIAL SALE OF SILKS
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As Silks have advanced in price such an opportunity cannot be had again.

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10 CASES FINE ENGLISH STIFF HATS JUST OPENED.
All our English and American Hats are imported direct from THE MANUFACTURERS, thus saving for the consumer ALL MIDDLE PROFITS.
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In a well assorted Stock of DRY GOODS.
We call particular attention to our Fine Stock of
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SUITS CUT AND MADE TO ORDER in LATEST STYLES
C. IRWIN,
March 7, 1877. 350 Front Street.

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NEW AMERICAN,
ENGLISH,
AND CANADIAN
SPRING HATS
FURS AT MANUFACTURERS COST!
AT GOLDSMITH & DAVENPORT'S
OLD STAND

G. C. HOLTON & Co
ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR
SPRING IMPORTATIONS
—OF—
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
Belleville, March 7th, 1877.

From our own Correspondent.

THE 17TH IN TORONTO.

Vennor undoubtedly has a high respect for the Irish Patron Saint, or he never would have concocted such a glorious day for the 17th. When his prophetic soul was surcharged with snow-storm ideas, and all was in readiness for the lazy flakes of "the beautiful" to bestir themselves and aggregate the "three feet on the level," which we have been led to expect, there surely must have been great pressure brought to bear on him by some one to give such a lovely day for the occasion. I have no doubt the "Mail" will lay all the blame on Mr. Fraser, and accuse him of having "brought influence to bear" on Vennor to do it, and find this another instance of the insinuating power of the Commissioner of Public Works, in securing favors for the Catholics in Ontario.

Who ever is responsible for it, certainly the day was well conceived. It was just cold enough to make the marching a pleasure, and to make standing around the corners of the street and in the way of the procession very uncomfortable. There were a great many of the "boys" out; plenty of green fringing and trimming; abundance of plumes of green and white, and beautiful banners, rich in material and artistic in design, and no doubt pregnant with meaning. I was surprised at the almost universal youthful appearance of those in the procession. Not an old face was visible, or at least if an old face did once in a while loom into view, all the appurtenances and contingencies were youthful. I could see lean faces and fat faces, in all the variations of expression lifted above the green embroidered collars, mostly all of them innocent of a mane, but etherealized—(I use this word with great hesitation)—by a nameless mixture of pride and resignation that lent a sameness to the countenances and an indisputable claim to the brotherhood of the possessor. The music of several bands kept the sunshine dancing merrily on the polished scabbards of the marshals. It seemed to me a "great success," in the usual acceptance of the phrase, and not the less so because in the few minutes I watched the procession there was no irregularity, no uproar, no magnificent recklessness on the part of the horsemen to culminate by riding over some child. All was quiet, orderly and sober—and green.

Dozens, scores, hundreds of little boys took part in the procession, as they always do in such cases, but just outside of the regular line, in no way connected with it, and totally indifferent to any known code of discipline. All the wards of the city and all the back alleys were represented in that unruly excrescence of processions. There were enough "Huck Finns" in that lot to fill up all the old barrels and empty boxes in the back yards of all the storekeepers on the American continent—boys that never can be utilized in any other way than in books; but they were taking in enjoyment of an innocent stamp to-day. Mothers, whose curiosity had never been satisfied, though for thirty of forty years they had annually seen such processions, appeared at the crossings to gaze at the long line of faithful ones.

Every class and color, from the gutter snipe vagrant up, were taking an interest in the moving pageant. Women brought their children for a sight, and when a little thing stretched out his neck to get a last look at the "mens," the rather aggrevated maternal voice rasped out in broken "Italian," "come away home wid ye, ye pesterin' divil!" Then these onlookers clad in—well, in clothes what there were of them, fluttered back again out of the clear cold beauty of the 17th.

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PEERESSES IN FULL DRESS.

Mr. Jennings, in a letter to the New York *World* from London, relative to the opening of Parliament, says: On this occasion the ladies overflowed the House. Early as it still was, the floor was covered with them—large blocks of the benches were occupied, and the galleries were crowded. All these ladies were in evening toilets, the Peeresses wearing coronets of diamonds—most of them fairly ablaze with diamonds on head and neck. If the daylight was not very favorable to the shoulders and complection of some of these noble dames the gorgeousness of their costumes and the glitter of their precious stones served to divert attention from the defects of nature or the ravages of time. The dresses were, in many instances, superb, covered with lace or gold, and cut with that eye to liberal display which is now deemed indispensable to any woman of fashion. It is perhaps not quite fair to mention names, but when Lady Dudley entered a friend of mine whispered:—"She has absolutely nothing on but diamonds." And it did look very like it, until her husband went away and presently returned with an ermine cloak, which she put over her shoulders. There were many others, however, of whom it might almost be said that they had more clothing off than on. This is a delicate subject, but it is not my fault; I did not make the fashions. An assemblage of ladies such as that gathered in the House of Lords to-day is a startling sight to look upon. I wonder what the ladies would say if actresses in a theatre or singers at the opera were to dress or undress, in the same style? How they can consent to send their daughters out into 'society' almost destitute of rament is even more mysterious than the readiness with which they permit an astonished world to gaze on their own abundant charms. If the fashionable milliner goes on we may expect to see the stock in the rooms and windows limited to an 'elegant assortment' of fig-leaves."

—The spring races at Woodstock are fixed for the 24th of May and following day.

—In Strathroy the number of shops and licenses is the same as last year, as is also the rate ($100).

—A Frankford despatch states: Switzerland has invited Germany, France, Austria, Italy, Spain, Portugal and Roumania to a conference to consider means of preventing the ravages of the phylloxera.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst. and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE EASTER

FAT CATTLE AND SHEEP

FAIR

Will be held on

MARKET SQUARE,

BELLEVILLE,

ON WEDNESDAY 21ST

Inst. Farmers of Hastings and Prince Edward, now is your time to obtain a good price for your Fat Cattle, as Buyers are expected from the East and West.

W. A. FOSTER, Mayor of Belleville.

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OVER TICKELL'S FURNITURE STORE.

ALL orders entrusted to him will receive prompt attention. Garments to order. Also Cutting done on short notice. All work warranted or no pay.

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HUCKABUCK TOWELS & TOWELLING,

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LINEN CRUMB CLOTHS,

LINEN TABLE NAPKINS & D'OYLIES

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ALSO

SEVERAL CASES OF NEW PRINTS, All Best Colors.

All goods are now marked at prices in accordance with the strictly Cash System we lately adopted.

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Three-Ply VENEER Seated

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100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.

25 cases C. C. BACON.

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Belleville, Jan. 9, 1876, oawtf

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Come and see them.

FOR SALE BY

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Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,

JOHN W. JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

NOTICE.

T. WALTERS,

RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the

FIRST OF APRIL, 1877

If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.

Belleville, March 10, 1877. [d2w-4tw

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE

339 FRONT STREET BELLEVILLE.

IN returning thanks to my numerous friends and customers for their liberal patronage during the past year, I beg to intimate that

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Under the supervision of a FIRST-CLASS FITTER from Toronto. I am now prepared take orders for all kinds of work, and I can GUARANTEE SATISFACTION, in

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Nothing but the Best of Stock will be made up, therefore I feel confident of giving satisfaction to all who favour me with their orders.

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THE "MINIMUM" System of Assurance has just been adopted by this Company, where

By a Partial Application of the Profits

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Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

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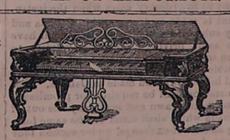

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STADACONA

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FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1875.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,888 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

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(Signed) GEO J PYKE,
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1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
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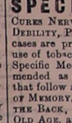

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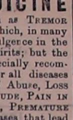

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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.

WM DICKENS & SONS.

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Established 1850.

IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foremen skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.

All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered

At Lowest Reasonable Rates.

And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.

WEDDING CAKES,
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JELLIES, &c., &c.

TURKEYS BONED, DRESSED AND JELLIED
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Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c, &c
MADE TO ORDER.

A NEW THING.

COCOA-NUT MACAROONS.

BREAD.

A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.

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Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.

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IMPERIAL MEASURES

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Best Make and Material,

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OF ALL KINDS,

CHEAPER FOR CASH!

Than Anywhere else,

AT CHOWN'S

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DOORS! DOORS!

MADE on honor of 1½ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT

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Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.

PLANING,
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and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.

Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

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Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.

Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be

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—OF—

BOOTS AND SHOES,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE KINGSTON,

Penitentiary Boot & Shoe Store

CONSISTING OF

GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S,

Kid, Prunella [and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of

Gents' Walking BOOTS,

Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.

ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,

All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash.

No. 367 FRONT STREET,

Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
Mar. 14th, 1877.

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The Malicious Report of the

DEATH AND BURIAL

—OF—

CHEAP JOHN!

Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is

AGAIN IN THE FIELD,

AND WILL

WAR TO THE KNIFE

Against High Prices!

At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of

GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
CROCKERY, &c.,

AT PRICES

THAT DEFY COMPETITION.

He has made large additions to his stock, and as he has purchased entirely for Cash, he is enabled to sell at Prices LOWER THAN EVER.

GROCERIES:

SUGAR, 13 lbs. for $1.00; Rice 4c per lb.; Currants 7c per lb.; Coffee 18c per lb; Good Japan Tea 20c per lb, Barley 4c per lb; Raisins 8c per lb; Sardines 12c per box; Canned Fruit 15c per can; Choice Pickles 15c per bottle; Tobacco 30c per lb; Cigars $15 per 1,000; Choice Syrups 40c to 70c per gal; Soap at almost nothing

DRY GOODS:

UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Steamloom 5c per yard; Wincey 8c per yard; Lustres 13c per yd; Prints 5c pec yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Pins 3c per paper; Flannels 18c per yard; Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All-Wool Shawls $2.25.

Ready-Made Clothing

ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4. Boy's Complete Suits $2.50; Hats and Caps almost given away.

BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, &c., at ruinously Low Prices.

CROCKERY—A large assortment at less than half the usual prices.

☞ TERMS CASH, and No Second Price

Remember the New Store, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, next door to the RED FRONT STORE, where

CHEAP JOHN

IS HIMSELF AGAIN.

Belleville, March 1st, 1877.

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BUCKWHEAT

FLOUR.

No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

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—ALSO—

SELF RAISING PASTRY FLOUR,

SELF RAISING GRAHAM FLOUR.

A supply just received.

GEORGE WALLBRIDGE

GROCER AND WINE MERCHANT.

Jan. 19th 1877.

FOR CASH ONLY.

CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,

GROCERIES

AND

PROVISIONS

AT

THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.

☞ Call at once for Bargains.

J. McGUIRE.

FISH! FISH!!

FRESH HADDOCK,
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,

JUST RECEIVED.

GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
Grocer and Wine Merchant.

Feb. 12th, 1877

ELEPHANT

CLOTHING STORE.

C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of

BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,

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All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.

March 12, 1877.

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MABRLE WORKS,

J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

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REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS

To Gondon's Block,

East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of

MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,

and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.

SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,

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Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station. Pinnacle Street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.

J. T. LATTIMER

Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

FRESH FISH!

FRESH OYSTERS!

ROSS & DAVIES

Have received and offer for sale

FRESH COD,

FRESH HADDOCK,

FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,

SALT WATER SALMON in Brls

SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls

WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers

THE CELEBRATED

DIAMOND BRAND

OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.

ROSS & DAVIES,

Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,

Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,

BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Feb. 2nd, 1877.

GEORGE E. SMALL

PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,

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Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.

March 3, '77,

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

CLEARING SALE

AT STORE No. 351 FRONT STREET,

Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,

AT AND UNDER COST,

Which will be found worthy of attention

Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets, Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces, Sewed Muslin Embroideries, Washing Trimmings in great variety, Silk and Worsted Embroidery Braids, Silk & Velvet Ribbons, Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk and Wool Barege, Colored Silk Velvets and Sattins, Berlin Wools, Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns, *Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety.* Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.

Liberal Discount made to all Church Sewing Societies.

JOHN COURTENAY,

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SEEDS. SEEDS.

JUST RECEIVED

A Large and Well-Selected Stock of

CHOICE SEEDS!

From the most reliable growers in England, France and United States.

True to Name and 1876 Growth.

APOTHECARIES HALL

J. H. HAMBLY.

A. E. FISH & CO.'S

Grand Opening Day!

AT THEIR NEW PREMISES

On SATURDAY, March 17th

When they will show their

SPRING STYLES

Of Shirts & Gents' Furnishings,

A. E. FISH & CO.

SETH THOMAS

CLOCKS

RUN WELL
WEAR WELL
AND
KEEP GOOD TIME

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

$2500 A YEAR. AGENTS WANTED on our Grand Combination Prospectus, representing

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A HOME AND FARM
OF YOUR OWN

On the line of a GREAT RAILROAD, with good markets both EAST and WEST.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE IT.

Mild Climate, Fertile Soil, Best Country for Stock Raising in the United States.

Books, Maps, Full Information, also "THE PIONEER" sent free to all parts of the world.

Address O. F. DAVIS,
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$55 to $77 a Week to Agents. $10 Outfit FREE. P. O. VICKERY, Augusta, Maine.

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LINEN IS THE STARCH
GLACÉ NE-PLUS-ULTRA POLISH

It combines readily with Starch, hot or cold.
It prevents "blistering" and the iron sticking.
It saves twenty-five per cent of labor and starch.
It gives a beautiful ivory finish and brightens all colors
It is warranted to contain nothing injurious.
Garments will keep clean much longer, will not crack, and are not so easily affected by dampness.
For doing up Infants' Clothing, Muslins, Cambrics, Laces, etc., Linen Glacé is invaluable.

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A LUCRATIVE BUSINESS.

☞ **We Want 500 more First-Class Sewing Machine Agents, and 500 men of energy and ability to learn the Business of selling Sewing Machines,** COMPENSATION LIBERAL, but VARYING ACCORDING TO ABILITY, CHARACTER and QUALIFICATIONS OF THE AGENT. For particulars, address

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827 and 829 Broadway, New York, or New Orleans, La.

25 EXTRA FINE MIXED CARDS, with name, 10 cts., post-paid. L. JONES & Co., Nassau, N. Y

THIS IS NO HUMBUG By sending 35 cts., with age, height, color of eyes and hair, you will receive by return mail a correct photograph of your future husband or wife, with name and date of marriage. Address W. FOX, P.O. Box 250, Fultonville, N.Y.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. STINSON & Co, Portland, Maine

WANTED men to travel and sell our Lamp Goods to DEALERS. $85 a month, hotel and traveling expenses paid. No peddling. Address MONITOR LAMP CO., Cincinnati, O.

25 FANCY CARDS, no two alike, with name, 10 postpaid. NASSAU CARD Co, NASSAU, N Y

100 DAYS TOMATO EARLIEST AND MOST PROLIFIC GROWN! Sold last year into every State and the Canadas with great success. Especially suited to NORTHERN CLIMATES Per packet, 25 cents; six for $1.00. Price List of Valuable Seeds sent with every order.

J. A. FOOTE SEED MAN, TERRE HAUTE, IND.

TEXAS Farming and Stock Lands and Passenger Tickets for sale at Lowest Rates. The Immigrants Guide free. DR. AMMI BROWN, 58 Sears' Building, Boston, Mass.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

MONDAY, March 19.

In the Senate, Hon. Mr. CAMPBELL moved his resolutions of censure on the Government with reference to the Constitution of the Senate. The debate that followed was the most interesting of the session, Hon. Mr. BROWN taking a leading part and speaking with his usual force and effectiveness.

Mr. RESOR moved an amendment justifying the action of the Government in advising His Excellency to recommend Her Majesty to exercise the power vested in her by the 26th clause of the British North America Act of 1867, and direct that six members be added to the Senate.

The vote on the amendment resulted as follows:—Yeas, 23; Nays, 38. The main motion was carried on the same division.

In the Commons, Mr. DEVLIN made his motion for a Select Committee to enquire into the minority representative system. His speech was able and temperate, the only defect being his introduction of the Irish Catholic question.

Mr. DYMOND deprecated the sectional character of part of Mr. DEVLIN'S speech, and argued that the House of Commons as a rule fairly represented the public feeling of the country.

Mr. CASEY described the working of the minority system in certain cases in which it had been in operation, and favored the proposition before the House on the whole.

Mr. BLAKE suggested some change in the terms of the motion, and affirmed the position he had assumed at Aurora. He admitted that neither in the House or in the country was public opinion ripe for the change. Certain facts, as illustrative of his views, were then briefly recapitulated, and advantages of a fair enquiry into the inequalities of the present mode of representation pointed out.

The motion, as revised, was finally agreed to.

The superannuation of Mr. Warren, late Collector of Customs at Whitby, was introduced by Mr. GIBBS, of South Ontario, and satisfactorily explained by Mr. BURPEE.

Mr. CARTWRIGHT stated that there were not less than 200 officers in the Customs whose ages averaged 70, and it was only a desire not to increase the superannuation fund that had prevented the Government from placing many more on the retired list. Some allusion to the recent appointment of the Postmaster of Port Hope brought up Mr. LEWIS ROSS, who defended the nomination as one of the best and most popular he had made since he had been in Parliament.

STIRLING TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

This Institute met March 3rd, the President, Mr. McIntosh, in the chair. It being the first meeting for 1877, and a number of the teachers having been changed during the past year, the President thought it best to take up the important subject of reading to juniors. He spoke of the importance of the pupil being taught the first step well; dwelt upon the necessity of having the whole class interested in the lesson; showed how this could be done (by referring to, and questioning about the pictures at the head of the lessons); thought the tablet should be illustrated; would not make the lesson long; would insist on the pupil giving the meaning of the words on every lesson, but not dictionary meanings; would teach the use of capitals from the beginning, by causing the pupil to spell all proper names, &c., either orally or on slates with capitals; said that much reviewing was necessary, and that no teacher should attempt to teach the simplest reading lesson without having the lesson prepared himself.

The more difficult problems in x 4l x adv. arithmetic were then solved by the unitary method, by Messrs. Rogers and Seymour, each working a number on the black board.

In the afternoon Mr. McIntosh discussed the best method of teaching spelling. He favored transcription of lessons as an important aid; said that after each reading lesson a number of words should be given from the lesson to be written on slates; also that a distinct lesson in dictation should be given from two to three times every week; showed how to use the spelling book; explained that the eye was the chief agent in learning to spell; recommended the introduction of the new spelling blanks; explained how to correct and mark dictation, &c.

A discussion on the continuance of the Institute in Stirling took place. Those present, some 15 teachers, favored the continuance. The Inspector said if the teachers of Rawdon and the adjacent parts of Huntingdon and Marmora would attend the Institute, and show by their presence at its next meeting, April 28th, that they value it as an aid, he would endeavor to keep it up and do what he could for it. It was finally agreed that the next meeting should decide its fate

Will meet April 28th, at 10 a. m.

Programme—1. Interest and discount treated analytically, J. W. Rodgers. 2. Analysis a parsing extract from Richard 2nd and 4th reader and grammatical difficulties, Inspector McIntosh. 3. Map and geography, W. F. Seymour. 4. Question drawer.

SCANDAL IN HIGH LIFE.

A London correspondent of a Liverpool newspaper writes: "Rumors of another scandal in high life are percolating through the upper strata of society and will shortly be public property and public talk. It is, however, only a case of history repeating itself, with a slight variation, making the event a little more romantic than usual. A lady of eighteen, handsome, wealthy and the 'intended' of a brilliant match, has 'bolted'—I use the word out of compliment to the interesting occupation of the abductor or eloper, or whatever you may please to call him—with her groom. The whole circle of her relations are at this moment standing aghast at the girl's mad wicked. ness. I don't see much in it myself. The groom is young and handsome, and poor; the betrothed is old, ugly and rich; and to get out of an engagement to which she was no party, and upon which she would never have entered of her own free will, she has run away with and married a man whom, perhaps, she would not otherwise have sought, but whom she has learned to love out of sheer hatred for another. There, in this particular story, however, I am bound to stop, for the groom turns out to be a married man with two children. The murder will be all out directly, as the wife proper has instituted proceedings for the loss of her husband—that is to say, it will be out unless some very effectual golden solution is applied to the wounded feelings of the matron, such as we have known to act very powerfully in mistakes of this kind before. But, as Artemus Ward said to the Mormon wives, the matter will require a deal of 'sorting.' To commence with, there's no doubt about the truth of the story."

—Fred Douglass has been appointed United States Marshal for the District of Columbia. This office admits him within the highest political circle, and the appointment, which is considered a recognition of the equality of the colored race, is giving much satisfaction.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 21

THE division in the Senate on Hon. Mr. Campbell's motion about the proposed addition to that body, showed the relative strength of parties to be 38 Conservatives to 23 Reformers.

THE Conservative members of the Public Accounts Committee want to have the responsibility of paying out $6,600 of the Secret Service money placed either on Mr. Drummond, of the Montreal Bank, or on Mr. Langton. Sir John, in their estimation, is as innocent as a new-born babe.

HON. MR. PELLETIER, when questioned in the Senate, denied that the late election in Kamouraska had any particular political significance. The election on Monday for the Local House, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Roy, resulted in a victory for the Reform candidate. The fact is, the riding is as largely influenced by personal as by political considerations.

MR. THOS. CLARKE LUBY, "the Irish patriot," as he calls himself, has been lecturing in Toronto. The *Globe* describes him as dealing in "blood and thunder," and as advocating fighting as the only element likely to hasten the settlement of the Home Rule question. He talked about "Moscow," "fire," "sword," "Eternal Justice," "Victor's Head," and such-like terrible things. No wonder "An Irishman" writes to the *Globe* repudiating such a "blood-thirsty firebrand as Luby," and reproving those who applauded his "senseless tirade against England and English rule," as delivered in the Opera House on the 17th inst. Archbishop Lynch did not approve of Mr. Luby's engagement, but all the arrangements were made before consulting him. Such harangues only create disgust in the minds of intelligent people, and accomplish no good in the mad scheme of liberating Ireland from English tyranny.

MR. BROWN, in the course of the debate in the Senate on Monday, stated that when Confederation was under consideration he had proposed that the Senators should be appointed only for a term of years instead of for life. This shows that the hon. gentleman does not rank so highly as an old fogy as he has received credit for. Had his plan been adopted the Senate would, as the result, be constantly undergoing the process of receiving new members, and so would be more easily brought into harmony with the current opinion of the day. But the proposition having been rejected, and the life system adopted, that body became what it is—the representative today of the views of a Tory Government and policy of half a dozen years ago. The recent vote shows that under the present system of constituting it, it must always be a very long way in the rear of public opinion.

PROTECTION FOR COAL.

A few days ago the chief Opposition organ confidently assured the people of Nova Scotia that the question of taxing coal was being carefully considered in Western Ontario, and that the friends of that policy were certainly "coming down to business." The organ was satisfied that the manufacturers who used coal and consumers generally would favor such a "re-adjustment of the tariff," and hence everything would be serene down East. Of course special care was taken to leave the impression that this was only a part of the grand "National Policy," which is destined to lift the depressed out of the slough of despondency into which Grit incapacity has forced them and bring about an era of prosperity and happiness. Figures have been given to show what rate of taxation would be necessary in order to bring Nova Scotia coal as far west as Toronto, Hamilton, London, &c., and successfully compete with American importations. The result is that all manufacturing industries depending on coal would be compelled to close up entirely or remove to the eastern part of the Dominion. The tax, added to the cost of freight from the mines to Toronto and other manufacturing centres, would make the price of coal too high, not only for industrial purposes, but also for domestic use. It is quite possible that those who advocate such a protective tax have given no thought to the practical workings of their theory, basing their arguments on "broad principles" which will not stand the test of experience. To tax coal as the Opposition have suggested would prove disastrous to Western manufactures. Are Protectionists still "coming down to business?"

HOW BEECHER CAME TO EMPLOY EVARTS.

Mr. Evarts' promotion to a Cabinet seat gives the Chicago "Tribune" a chance to rake over the dying embers of the Brooklyn scandal and to bring to light this little spark of news which, it says, has never before been seen in print: When the preacher called to retain the lawyer, Mr. Evarts without any hesitation replied: "I cannot be of any use to you, Mr. Beecher, I have never taken part in a case of this character, and I could not do it unless I were perfectly sure of your innocence." At these words Mr. Beecher rose and in his impulsive way brought his hand down on the lawyer's shoulders as if it were Plymouth desk. "You are just the man I want" said he. The next morning began the memorable meeting between the sentimental, electric preacher, and the cool, balanced, logical lawyer. At the end of that time Mr. Evarts said: "I am satisfied of your innocence, Mr. Beecher, I will take the case."

Editorial Notes.

LORD DUFFERIN is so far recovered from his late accident that he expects to be able to go out in a couple of days.

IT is expected the Prince Edward Island members will take steps to resent the attack lately made on Mr. Yeo in the Halifax *Herald*.

THE New York *Herald's* Ottawa correspondent is doing more to place Canada and Canadians in a favorable light before the people of the United States than any writer on the American press.

MR. BOWELL intends to move a resolution in reference to Speaker Anglin's printing contract when next the House goes into Committee of Supply. Mr. Anglin is said to be prepared for it.

A MAN named Brennan, while intoxicated, lay down on the railway track near Montreal, and fell asleep. The cow-catcher of a passing train threw him off and injured him so severely that his recovery is doubtful.

THERE is still much mystery about Kingan's death. His brother thinks he was murdered, as the cap found on his head was too small. He had $100,000 when he left New York, only a portion of which was found on his person when the body was recovered. The inquest has been adjourned to April 9th.

MESSRS. BELFORD BROS., publishers, have no intention of carrying the copyright case in which they are defendants, and Samuel Smiles, the celebrated English author, plaintiff, to the Supreme Court, but will continue to publish their English reprints in Buffalo or Detroit for circulation in Canada.

THAT "GRIEVANCE."

MR. EDITOR,—I saw a small brevity in your paper of the 16th inst., headed "A Grievance," reflecting on me as to my usage of a traveller. You state he was kept out in the rain and cold after driving from Picton, he being a Dunkinite. My explanation is this; he and his friends voted to close my hotel—their former accommodation,—and by his own act shut himself out of doors. The act was his own and not mine. I sometimes give accommodation to my own friends, as any other person keeping a private house does, but do not pretend to keep a public house, particularly for that class of sworn enemies whom I wish to shun, as by their desire I might be ruined. As to your saying that the stage proprietors should see that it did not occur again, it is all bosh. Unless they open up a house of their own how can they prevent it? It is a mere sufferance and neighborly feeling that they and my intimate friends receive my hospitality. Dunkinites must certainly feel agrieved to be shut out of doors after shutting out the travelling public, and voting my property useless and valueless. As you have used my name in your paper, and that, too, to my injury by the way you stated the occurrence, you should allow me a reply or explanation.

Yours truly,
H. A. COVERT.

***We merely gave the circumstances as they were reported to us, and with no intention of injuring Mr. Covert or anyone else. The report was true. At any rate Mr. Covert does not dispute it. He undoubtedly has a perfect right to shut his house against anyone whom he pleases. We did not question that right, but only referred to the exposure to which the traveller was subjected, and asked the stage proprietors to protect their passengers.—ED. ONTARIO.

A MATCH FOR TUPPER.

Mr. Patterson, of Brant, who first entered Parliament in 1872, when he defeated Sir Francis Hincks, Sir John's Finance Minister, is said to be a perfect Boanerges of debate. He is a ready and clever speaker, but his great force lies in an overwhelming voice and an endless command of language. He can speak by the hour, with this agreeable difference in his favor, as compared with the ordinary class of orators, that he is never weak, never inspired, and not given to repetition. It is said an effort will be made to pit him against Dr. Tupper, who is the only man in the House that resembles him at all in voice, energy and rolling sentences. Mr. Patterson can speak quite as well, fully as long, much more loudly and terrifically, equally as popularly to the House and galleries, and as readily and intelligently as Dr. Tupper, and bets are up that if he was secured to follow this Æsculapius, he would soon actually cow him down, or drown him out.

There are not a few who would like to see Mr. Patterson measure himself with Dr. Tupper, and his friends will back him roundly that he will come off first best. His speech yesterday was a splendid effort and he was cheered to the echo for it.

THE SENATE CENSURE.

The Hamilton *Times* refers at length to the debate in the Senate on Monday and the result of the vote. Having explained the circumstances leading to the application by Mr. Mackenzie for additional Senators and Lord Kimberly's action thereon, our contemporary says:—"It was to thank the British Government for its paternal action in deciding that we are not the best judges of what is desirable for ourselves that the representatives of Sir John Macdonald in the Senate brought the matter up in their Chamber and took the action they did. It is not unlikely that their action will do good. It is true that their main desire was to pass a vote tantamount to one of censure on the present Government, and in that they have succeeded, but as the public is profoundly indifferent to their votes of censure, their success in that matter will create no sensation outside of their own chamber. It may, perhaps strike their clerks with awe, and draw from their pages and messengers exclamation of admiration of their boldness, but that will be about the only portion of the public who will be affected."

THAT TESTIMONIAL.

Reviewing the evidence thus far given in connection with the Northern Railway investigation, and how that testimonial for Sir John was procured, the Hamilton *Times* concludes:—

"But a still more serious feature of that famous subscription hunt is likely to come to the front. We have information to the effect that it is capable of proof that those engaged in raising money for Sir John Macdonald's fund had the audacity to apply to the Judges of the land for subscriptions to it. It is pretty well understood that the heads of the Civil Service as well as members of it were called upon for aid. That, however, may pass with a word of sympathy for those of the Premier's subordinates who were thus levied on. But if it be true Judges were called upon to supply money for the personal use of Sir John Macdonald—the Minister of Justice and as such the Judge maker—then an act so grossly offensive and immoral was committed that when brought home to the proprietor it should secure for him if not legal punishment at least strong Parliamentary censure. Our information is that no Judge was so imprudent as to allow himself to be placed in the suspicious position of subscribing money for the personal use of the Canadian Judge-maker, but that makes none the less offensive and disgraceful the conduct of the man or men who had the undisguised insolence to approach them for such a purpose. The whole evidence with regard to the collection of this fund has become so strange and startling that it is now a question whether, in public interest, the original subscription list itself should be produced.

The day has long gone by when the Conservatives could appeal to that celebrated Testimonial Fund as proof of the secure place Sir John Macdonald had in the hearts of the Canadian people. The only doubt that now exists is whether any portion of it beyond the merest trifle came from the people, and whether the bulk of it was not wrung from Government officials, public contractors and corporations having business transactions with the Government."

POLITICAL NOTES.

—The latest grievance of the Opposition is that a Customs' Collector, seventy-five years of age, has been superannuated to make room for a younger and more active man.

—Perhaps the best speech delivered in Canada on St. Patrick's Day was that of Mr. Mayor Waller, of Ottawa. It has the right ring about it, for instead of representing the Irish in Canada as a down-trodden and persecuted people, it speaks of them in a manly way as having a fair field in which they can win the highest honors Cahada has to give.

—The East Durham Conservatives meet on Thursday at Port Hope to organize and select a candidate for next year. It is understood the names to be submitted will be those of William Sowden, Millbrook; Arthur Williams and J. B. Trayes, of the *Times*, Port Hope; and Dr. Tupper, of Toronto. Mr. Trayes is said to have the inside track.

—Mr. Mills' Bill to regulate the boundaries of Manitoba, provides for the convergence of the meridians on which the townships were predicted so as to bring the lots along the east and west boundaries of this Province within the law of registration. A copy of the bill was sent to the Manitoba Legislature, which approved of the proposed change.

OFFICERS OF COURTS.

Mr. Guthrie has introduced a bill intended to compel officers of courts to immediately pay over moneys to clients for whom they are collected by process of law. There has been a great deal of dissatisfaction in some parts of the country on this behalf, but the bill will allay it, as its provisions apply to every official down to the bailiff. The following is the chief clause, which is introduced as an amendment to the "Act respecting larceny and other similar offences:" "Whosoever, being employed as an officer of any Court of Justice of Canada, or of any of the Provinces of Canada, and being by virtue of this office bound or entitled to levy, collect or receive any money to the use of any suit or person, fraudulently converts to his own use any money so by him levied, collected or received, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to be imprisoned in the Penitentiary for any term not exceeding three years, and not less than two years, or to be imprisoned in any other jail or place of confinement for any term not less than two years, with or without hard labor and with or without solitary confinement; and it is hereby declared that the neglect or refusal of such officer to pay to the person entitled thereto such moneys so levied, collected or received, or any part thereof, when the same are legally payable to and demanded by such persons, shall be "prima facia" evidence of such conversion."

IT TAKES TWO TO QUARREL.

Burlington Hawk-eye.

A woman out on North hill, being counted out the other morning, after a debate on the question, "Who shall arise and build the fire?" got up and split her husband's wooden leg into kindling wood, and boiled his steak with it. It made him so mad that he got hold of her false teeth and bit the dog with them. She cried until she had a fit of hysterics, and then filliped out his glass eye, and climbed upon the bed-post, and waxed the glaring eye to the ceiling with a quid of chewing gum. Then he took her wisp of false hair and tied it to a stick, and began whitewashing the kitchen with it. Then she started off to obtain a divorce, but Judge Newman decided that he could't grant a divorce unless there were two parties to the suit, and there was hardly enough left of them to make one.

THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

Hon. A. S. Hardy, the newly appointed Provincial Secretary, was sworn in on Tuesday as a member of the Executive Council. His resignation of his seat in the Assembly took place some days ago, and the writ for a new election has been issued. The nomination takes place on Thursday, March 29th, and the polling a week later. The Conservatives of the riding do not seem to have made up their minds as yet to oppose the the return of the new Minister, though indications of a disposition to do so are not wanting.

—Two New York police captains are charged by the Vice Suppression Society with permitting lewd variety exhibitions in their precincts; trial fixed for Thursday.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

MORNING DISPATCHES.

—The prison in which Lee, the Mormon murderer, is confined, at Beaver City, Utah, is guarded by troops. He is kept secluded from everybody, with the hope of securing a full confession.

—Brigham Young will, at the next Church Conference, appoint his son, Brigham Jr., President of the Church. A schism will probably be the result.

—The Hayes Administration will move very slowly in its treatment of the Southern question.

—Agents of Packard and Chamberlain are working to gain time, and will precipitate violence in Louisiana and South Carolina in order to muddle affairs.

—Little doubt remains that the Republicans will have a fair chance to elect the Speaker of the next House.

—Most of the U. S. navy yards will be closed on account of the smallness of the appropriations.

—Several Republicans from the South have resolved to stand firm against any attempt to give that section over to the Democrats.

—One of Grant's last official acts was the pardon of John Lant and Capt. Grindle, sentenced to the Penitentiary—the first for circulating obscene literature, and the second for cruel punishment of a sailor.

—A. Oakey Hall mysteriously disappeared from New York last Friday, and detectives can find no trace of him. Several causes are assigned for his disappearance.

—The *World* positively declares that Tweed will be released on surrendering his property and giving evidence against Sweeny and others.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES.

—William Grape was suffocated in attempting to obtain some valuables from a burning building in Washington last night.

—John Lindermuth, of Newcastle, Pa., was found frozen to death yesterday. He had been missing since the 10th inst.

—Patrick King was thrown from a fire engine in Philadelphia this morning and killed.

—Monsigneur Mardis, Auditor of the Sacred Rota, is dying.

—A $18,000 fire took place at Machias, Me., to-day.

—Edward Wells, a negro, who murdered a man named O'Brien, was taken from the jail at Waynesboro, Ga., last night and hanged.

—The Committee to investigate the ravages of the grasshoppers in the west has been named.

—The mysterious disappearance of Mayor Hall, of New York, has created a great sensation.

—There is no intimation that the Southern question will be decided to-day.

—Justice Galt gave judgment in the Queen's Bench making the rule absolute with costs to quash the Dunkin By-law in the County of Oxford.

—The Hudson Bay Company are getting out two new steamers from England, steel-bottomed, for the navigation of the Saskatchewan, both of light draught.

—Miss Edith May, who was saved from drowning by Mr. Montant, when the yacht Mohawk capsized last summer, is going to marry her preserver—a case of poetic justice. She is a sister of Miss May, the young lady about whom a duel is said to have been fought.

—Fifteen ladies obtained the degree of Doctor of Medicine form the Women's Medical College, Philadelphia, last Friday

Mortgage Sale
Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL,
Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6i&w3i

NOTICE.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber on the third day of January, a Bay Mare; and the owner thereof will take notice that unless she is claimed within 20 days from the date of this notice, and the charges paid for her keeping, I shall proceed to sell her by public auction to pay said charges.

PATRICK O'BRIEN.

March 21st, 1877.

WANTED.

A COMPETENT PERSON,
To take charge of a Brick Yard.
W. V. DETLOR.
Napanee.

March 21st, 1877. tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

ONE Two-Story Rough Cast House, on Hotel Street, with Hard and Soft Water on the premises.
Possession First of April.
Apply to
WM. DICKENS.

Mar. 21, 1877. 5i

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. K. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&wlm

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A MEDIUM SIZED FIRE PROOF SAFE. Address
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Are now showing New Spring Goods of their own importing, consisting in part of

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In a variety of Fabrics and Fashionable Colors.

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In Silk Warps, Paramattas, Sedan Cords, &c.

French Kid Gloves,
Rouillon's 1st Choice.

Undressed kid Gloves,

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March 21st, 1877. Importers.

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A Magnificent Assortment of
UNION CARPETS,
NEW PATTERNS,
—AT—
50, 60 & 75c PER YD.

Call and see them. They are the Cheapest ever offered in Belleville.

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE
Belleville, March 21, 1877.

"Dublin and Her Monuments."
A LECTURE

Will be delivered on the above subject by
CAPTAIN KERWIN,
Editor of the Montreal True Witness,
IN THE
Temperance Hall, Robertson Block
—ON—
Thursday Evening, 22nd Inst.
ADMISSION 25 CENTS.

Lecture to commence at 8 p.m,
W. E. FINNEGAN, Secretary. R. COSTELLO, Chairman Com.
March 20, 1877. 3i

THE REV. W. F. CRAFTS,
OF NEW BEDFORD, MASS.,
The celebrated Sunday School writer, will (D. V.)
LECTURE
In the Metropolitan Hall,
(Not Town Hall, as Previously announced,)
ON THURSDAY 22ND, at 8 P.M.
Subject: "THE TEACHER'S STUDY OF CHILDHOOD."
ADMITTANCE FREE
A collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A FIRST-CLASS BRICK HOUSE, in a good situation on Taylor's Hill, Cheap. Apply at This Office, or Box 250.

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March 19, 1877.

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Particular attention paid to the Restaurant Department.

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March 17, 1877. 1w

Notice of Dissolution.

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A. R. DOUGALL,
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Dated March 15th, 1877. d1w&w4i.

FOR SALE

100 doz Eddy's Patent Pails
80 " " Wash Boards
60 nests " Wash Tubs
50 cases " Telegraph Matches
FAR BELOW
MANUFACTURER'S COST
—AT—
HENNESSY'S
KENNEDY'S OLD STAND,
Opposite Smith's Tin Store,
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NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,	
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" MOTTOES,	
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FROM 7 Cents.
SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at
J. C. REYNOLDS.
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Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.
March 13, 1877.

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GREAT REDUCTION!
IN PRICES.
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CLEARING SALE.
—o—
MAKING READY
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N. H. Peterson,
No. 319 Front St.,
BELLEVILLE, Ont.
Feb. 7th, 1877.

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Please encourage home manufacture.

Sale Room Front Street, opposite Walker's Foundry.

Mar 17, 1877. WM. POWELL. d&wlw

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BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST, Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse, With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
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We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

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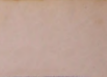

To Tavern Keepers,
Shop Keepers,
WHOLESALE MERCHANTS,
BREWERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that all
APPLICATIONS for LICENSES
For the sale of
Spirituous and Fermented Liquors,
In the License District of
WEST HASTINGS,
For the year 1877-78, must be made to the undersigned at the Committee Room in the Market Buildings, on or before the
FIRST day of APRIL Next

Applicants must come prepared with the names of sureties they propose to offer.

JAMES ROSS,
License Inspector.

March 16, 1877.

A. R. DOUGALL,
BARRISTER & ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
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And those who are preparing
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We would say our stock of
GARDEN SEEDS
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We have been particularly careful in selecting
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March. 17, 1877.

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17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

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F. H. ROUS & Co.
Belleville, Mar. 14th, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH is the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while may make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for these likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.
Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6.10 p m
d .. .. 9.45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express,.. .. .. .. 12.22 a m
xed, ... 9.45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at.. .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 21.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—There were eight tramps and two prisoners in the lock-up last night.

LEGAL.—In the Court of Appeal in the case of Ferguson vs. Ferguson the appeal has been allowed.

ENGLISH MAIL.—The English mail arrived and was distributed at the post-office here this morning.

MEETING.—The Kingston Presbytery will meet in the John St. Church here on the 10th of April.

STOPPED.—By order of the Education Department the Easter Holidays have been discontinued. Good Friday however still remains a holiday.

THE CROSSING TO THE CAPE.—The crossing on the ice from Kingston to Cape Vincent is now said to be in good order and horses are once more crossing the American Channel.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

REV. W. F. CRAFTS.—This gentleman will deliver a lecture here tomorrow evening. He is an earnest and devoted Sabbath School worker and has acheived considerable distinction in that cause.

Every one speaks well of it, and those who have been there once patronise the place eyer afterwards. It is necessary to add that we refer to the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.?

A FIRE BUG.—There is a man who resides in Oswego, who writes to the papers of that city and foretells fires. His prognostications have generally proved correct and there is a suspicion now that he knows something about the origin of the fires.

THE INSTITUTE AND JAIL.—These buildings were visited yesterday by Inspector Langmuir. Both institutions have been always reported on favorably by this official and we doubt not that the report of this inspection will be gratifying.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Barber, of Foster, Barber & Brignall, arrived home from England last evening. He came out in the S. S. City of Berlin, which made the passage in a little over eight days. Mr. B. appears to have enjoyed his trip immensely, and is looking splendid.

LECTURE.—Captain Kerwin of the Montreal "True" Witness, lectures in the hall of the Temperance Association of the Holy Cross tomorrow evening on "Dublin and her Monuments." The lecturer is an able and brilliant scholar and we hope he will have a large house.

NEW BUSINESS.—Prof. Lavoie, who visited Belleville a short time ago, intends opening a store here on the 2nd of April for the sale of hair goods, wigs &c. He has secured the front portion of Mitchell's hair-dressing rooms and will present a large stock of goods. The business will be in charge of Miss Barrett, who has had a great deal of experience.

NOTICE.—The subscription for the testimonial to Mr. Laidlaw will be closed on the 1st of April. Intending subscribers should send their donations to Mr. James Young, of the Consolidated Bank. We hope the subscription will be a large one, and worthy of such a prominent and deserving official as Mr. L. has proved himself to be.

SOME MORE.—Whilst snow has of late been scarce, it seems probable that the supply to be given us in March will make up for all deficiencies. There was a considerable descent of the feathery messengers this morning and sleighing on Front Street in particular and the country generally is good, once more. Snow-shovels have had to be brought into requisition and the fortunate man who has no snow in front of his premises, looks on with exasperating calmness while his unfortunate neighbor clears of the path and reflects how beautifully the good gifts of Providence are distributed.

DOMESTIC INFELICITY.—There is a couple in Ottawa who exemplify the old adage that the course of true love don't run smooth—at least as far as they are concerned. On Monday they had a fight. The husband said he had made up his mind to leave her. The wife replied that she would poison herself. Then the husband said she had better lose no time about it; whereupon she took out of her pocket an ounce vial containing an acidic mixture she had been using to remove a film from her eye, and swallowed its contents. The husband rushed out of the house for Father Collins, and sent for Dr. McRae, who administered a powerful emetic, which had the effect of saving the woman's life. She now suffers considerably.

THE EASTER FAIR.—The Easter Fat Cattle Fair, owing to the disagreeable weather, was not a success, the storm, no doubt, interfering with the attendance. Still there was a number of cattle brought to town and disposed of, and in two cases some which were on their way here were sold. William Charlesworth had a fat bull; George Anderson, four steers; John H. Garbutt, one cow, and George Hoggard, six Berkshire pigs. We cannot overrate the importance of these fairs as they attract the attendance of buyers, thus enhancing the value of the offerings. The farming community by paying the attention to this subject that it deserves will be greatly benefitted by it.

KILLED BY THE CARS.—Thomas Kavanagh, of Belleville, had his left arm cut off by being run over by the cars at Port Hope yesterday morning. He was employed as a brakesman, and was walking on the track, endeavoring at the same time to uncouple two cars. He stepped into a cattle guard and fell, his left arm resting on the rail, and the cars passing over it severed it near the shoulder. Medical aid was at once procured and every thing possible done to aid the unfortunate man, but without avail, and he died six hours after the occurrence. His remains were brought here last night. Deceased was an industrious young man and very popular among his associates.

METROPOLITAN HALL.—The Rev. W. F. Crafts lectures in the above hall (not the Town Hall as previously announced) on tomorrow evening on "The Teachers Study of Childhood." Mr. Crafts has been addressing audiences in Toronto on similar subjects. On Monday evening he addressed a largely attended meeting in the spacious lecture room of St. James' Cathedral, at which Vice-Chancellor Blake presided. In introducing Mr. Crafts the Vice-Chancellor expressed the strong desire that had been felt for some time of securing the eminent services of Mr. Crafts to address them. We trust to see a large attendance at the Metropolitan Hall to-morrow evening to welcome and listen to Mr. Crafts

Police Court.

Before C L SMITH and C. V. BOGART, J. P's

WEDNESDAY 21st March, 1877

ASSAULT.

Jacob Winters and John Mack for assaulting R. Hines were each fined $1.00 and costs.

TRESPASS.

George Belcher, Michael Macfarland and James Dorsey, charged with trespassing on the premises of Wm. Ostrom, were each fined $2 00 and costs.

VIOLATING THE LIQUOR LAW.

James McGuire for selling liquor after seven o'clock on Saturday night was fined $20 and costs.

DRUNK.

Jerry Lanbert charged with being drunk was discharged.

LARCENY.

Nathaniel Weese was further remanded for a week.

THE SCHOOL CASE.

The case of Daniel Forrester, vs. Wm. McLaren, George Sherman, Andrew Denike and George Taylor was dismissed with costs.

SPRING ASSIZES.

MR. JUSTICE GWYNNE, PRESIDING.

MONDAY March 19.

Gordon vs Masson Manufacturing Company—Action against Defts. to recover payment of salary on commission for services of Plff. for Defts.

Defts. are engaged at Oshawa manufacturing farming implements. Plff. who resides in Belleville, had been acting as agent for the Joseph Hall Manufacturing Company, selling farming implements. After they closed up, Plff. engaged as he alleges with George A. Masson, managing director for Defts., to act as agent in the Counties of Prince Edward, Hastings and Township of Murray, County of Northumberland, to sell Seeders and Rakes, for which he was to receive a commission of $4 on each Seeder and $1,50 for each Rake sold in the territory no matter by whom sold as there are 23 agents in this territory selling these machines.

Defence—Agreement was conditional, Plff. being engaged to canvass and sell the machines. Defts. reserving the right to cancel the agreement at any time they should be dissatisfied with the Plff, and contend that they were not satisfied with his conduct and did give him notice that his services were not required after said notice.

Verdict for Plff. $372.

Dickson for Plff; Diamond for Deft.

TUESDAY March 20.

Peter Doyle—Indicted at the Spring Assizes 1876 for Larceny, arrested on Saturday, was bailed by order of the Court to appear at the next County General Sessions of the Peace, himself—$800 and two sureties $400 each.

SPRY vs. HAYNE.—Parties reside near each other. Deft. borrowed money from plff. for which he gave his note. They had other dealings—accounts for goods and monies—plff. often leaving money with deft. to pay out to persons to whom plff. was indebted. About the time the note deft. had given plff. matured, plff. borrowed, as he alleges, $200 from his brother, which he also loaned deft. Parties settled in December last, but plff. contends the last $200 and the interest on it, and also a sum of $17 paid into deft's. hands to pay one Stapley, were not taken into account, and he did not discover the mistake until some time afterwards and applied to deft. to open up the settlement, the deft. having on the settlement given p'ff. a due bill for $22 balance due him. Deft. paid into court $23, the amount of due bill and interest, and contends that the $200 borrowed from John Spry was not for him but for plff, and that plff. got that money and the $17 he never received. Verdict for plff. for $246 Holden and McMahon for plff.: Bleecker for deft.

The Queen vs James H. Simpson—James H. Simpson was indicted for a misdemeanor in alienating grain covered by a warehouse receipt.

B. M. Britton for the Crown, Thomas Holden for the Defence.

The following jury was empanelled.

Messrs. Duncan, Robert Cross, A. M. Caverly, John Gearing, John Morton, W. Knowles, P. Simmons, Geo. Carr, John Best, J. Pigdon, J. Penny and A. C Irwin.

W. H. Ross, sworn—Live in Thurlow; lived there in 1873; knew the Deft. and Geo. A. Simpson; they were warehouse men in 1873; I delivered in the fall of 1873, 10,000 bushels of corn in their warehouse; was delivered between 1st and 10th November; this warehouse receipt is for 2,000 bushels of that corn; the corn was actually delivered there; Geo. A. Simpson was actively in charge then; the firm was Geo. A. Simpson & Co.; have heard Deft. say that he was a partner of Geo. A. Simpson; I handed over and endorsed this receipt to the Merchants Bank for money; after the Bank advanced money I made a sale of some of the corn; the Bank sent down their order by me; they sent down several orders; on this receipt an order was endorsed by Mr. Thompson, manager of the Bank here; I saw him write the order; I went down to the warehouse and gave the order to Mr. Irvine Diamond; he received 200 bushels on that order instead of 500; Mr Diamond came back and I had to make up the balance myself by purchasing more grain; I demanded corn from them myself; I went with the receipt to J. H. Simpson myself; I demanded the balance of the grain; I saw J. H. & Geo. A. Simpson and they said they had a cargo of grain coming in; they said they had no more corn in the warehouse; they sold my corn; was at the warehouse every day; saw no one else putting in corn; I told them that I wanted my grain as I had contracts to fill; about the middle of March I presented the receipt; there was no corn in the warehouse then.

Cross-examined—Have given evidence in this matter before; this receipt was in the indictment of Geo. A. Simpson; that trial was in the spring of 1874; I have obtained judgment against both these men; have not very good feelings towards them as they have robbed me; did not go on with this trial before on account of a Chancery suit; found it difficult to prove the partnership, that has all come out since; the vessel discharged the corn into the elevators in Nov. 1873; during the time the corn was being put into the elevator a quantity, 300 bushels fell into the river; heard James H. Simpson say that there was about 300 hundred bushels; the elevator burst in the second story; a large quantity fell on the wharf; I had two receipts at that time one of 2,000 and the other of 6,000 bushels; the break was about the 7th.; the vessel got here on the 27th Oct.; she unloaded next day; 8,000 bushels were taken in before the break; after this receipt was given, Mr. Meagher got 1,000 bushels; Diamond got 500 bushels; Penwell got 300 bushels; at that time Thompson endorsed the receipt he gave me a separate order; this order was dishonored and Diamond came back to me; my notes were not paid; I got the receipts in March and brought them back; in the fall I took the receipt and demanded the grain, and the Simpsons told me that they would fight me out of it—that is the grain; took my warehouseman, Mr. Marsh, with me; after the break occurred I put 2,079 bushels in and got a receipt; never got the order back from Diamond; after the break, had no conversation with Geo. A. Simpson as to what he was to allow for the break; did not say at the last trial that I told Geo. A. Simpson I wanted 75 cts. a bushel; did not swear that there were 500 bushels in the water; took the receipt first to J. H. Simpson in the middle of March and again in September; took it four times to him; looked on the corn lost by the break as a mere nothing; did not agree to leave this matter to James Glass and Capt. McIntosh; refused to leave the matter to arbitration; Deft. is a barrister and has his office on Front street; saw wet corn sold in the fall; never saw any corn in the elevator but my own; the water at the wharf is about eight feet.

Re-examined—There were three corn receipts; one receipt is for 2,079 bushels, the balance of the corn in the vessel after the break; Meagher got his corn out of the last receipt, also Foster and Penmell; when I presented the receipt in question here I had authority from the bank to demand the grain; I did not get it, and they gave no explanation; they did not attribute this to the break.

James Meagher, sworn—Reside in Belleville; know Mr. Ross; remember a cargo of grain coming here; knew the Simpsons; got one thousand bushels of this corn through the bank; got it 11th Nov., 1873; there was a question raised about delivering it; Mr. Geo. A. Simpson demanded double storage; Mr. Ross came with me and tendered the money under protest; both the Simpsons were there; the money was paid to George; went to Mr. Ross because I purchased the grain from him.

A. M. Spafford, sworn—Know the Deft. and Geo. A. Simpson; when the Deft. wanted to purchase an engine for the Bay of Quinte Elevator, Mr. Wallbridge asked who the Co. were and he said his brother, Geo. A.; am not a grain dealer; am bookkeeper in the foundry.

Cross-examined—Knew that the partnership had been disolved, for I think I saw the notice in the papers.

W. H. Ross, recalled—When I sold corn to Mr. Meagher it was to come out of the last receipt, 2,079 bushels; when I demanded the corn on my receipt they said that they had no corn, but they had grain coming; there was 2,320 bushels short.

Geo. A. Simpson, sworn—A notice of the dissolution of partnership appeared in the DAILY ONTARIO and the *Daily Intelligencer*; that is the notice in the ONTARIO and it is the same in the *Intelligencer*; after the dissolution my brother and I did not go into partnership again; my brother had the title to the land on which the elevator stood; he was endorsed on all Geo. A. Simpson & Co.'s paper; before the dissolution my brother attended to all the financial concerns of the business, but never after; remember the vessel with the corn; she was unloaded 29th Oct., 1873; my book-keeper came up to me and told me that the elevator had burst; the whole side of a bin had broken; a great deal of corn was in the water; the water was from 11 to 13 feet in depth; when I came the vessel had swung round from the wharf; was in the elevator Saturday night before the break; the bins were full or very nearly so then; I had corn in store and did not want it mixed; as soon as I got there I got men to save all we could; saw Mr. Ross there that morning; I said to him, "Ross, I have met with a serious loss here;" I asked him if he would let me pay him the same price as he had sold grain to the cheese factory. He said he hardly knew if he could do that; I then offered him 55 cents and he said he would take that; did not know then the exact amount of my loss; the warehouse receipt of the 5th of November was given after the grain was in the water; it is in my handwriting; Ross asked me for the receipt; did not tell my brother about giving the receipt; teams were drawing away the corn as soon as it came; the farmers drew it away in small lots for their own use; the Cheese Factory purchased it for them; gave a receipt on the 11th November for the balance of the corn in the vessel, making in all 10,579 bushels; Ross asked me for this receipt as Mr. Thompson of the Bank wanted it to square up his books; I went to the Merchant's Bank with Ross and told Mr. Thompson that I had not the corn; Mr. Thompson was at the elevator the morning of the break and saw the grain in the water; we were all in the Manager's room in the Bank, and Ross was present; my brother had nothing to do about giving this receipt or any of the others; after I had given the receipt of the 5th my brother thought I was wrong in doing so, as I might hereafter have trouble about the matter; I delivered the grain on orders of the Bank; these are the orders; have not possession of the Meagher order; nothing was said about applying the orders on any particular receipt; the 200 bushels to Diamond was the last delivered; after Diamond got this I saw Ross; he came to me, and I told him that I had no more corn, but that I would pay him 55 cents as I promised, he said he wanted corn, and not money; after this corn had risen to 80 cents, and then he said he would not take money; I offered him 65 cents afterwards in the Merchants' Bank, in Mr. Thompson's presence, and he refused it; would not have given the last receipt only that Ross had agreed to accept my offer; my brother was not present at these conversations with Ross; I got out 1,021 bushels of the wet corn and sold it; I didn't get out half of it; Ross bought some of this wet corn; took the grain out of the water as soon as possible; other people came in boats and canoes and took quantities away with my permission; lost from 2,500 to 3,000 bushels of corn by that break; sold it for 40 cents per bushel; Ross' deficiency was wholly caused by the bursting of the elevator; never told Ross that I was getting a cargo of corn at any time.

Cross-examined—Partnership was dissolved in 1872, and was in good faith; this arose from a trial; the question of his being a practicing barrister and being engaged in commercial transactions was mooted, and he thought it better to dissolve the partnership; there was no balance struck, and the books were not closed at the time; don't think my brother ever saw any of the receipts; he was pecuniarily interested in the business; the total amount of grain that was entered from the vessel was 10,679; this is taken from my grain book; the break occurred on Monday, 3rd Nov.

At the conclusion of this witness's evidence the Judge desired the jury to acquit the deft., when they returned a verdict of "Not Guilty."

John Henry Gordon, for obtaining money under false pretences, was sentenced to three calendar months in the common jail at hard labor. A very respectably signed petition was presented to the Judge, which, together with the recommendation of the jury, moved the court in passing so lenient a sentence.

This and That.

—It is yet undecided how the Centennial medals will be distributed.

—Mr. Delany, of Black Creek, near Picton, dropped dead on the street on Saturday.

—The Canadian Commissioners to Philadelphia are winding up the business.

—A Cincinnati detective has been sent to jail for thirteen months for election frauds.

—Mr. Moody will not give a definite answer to the invitation of the Montreal people.

—Evan Morris has challenged Scharff to row for $1,000 a side and the U. S. championship.

—An attorney, with the assistance of a revolver, extracted an apology from the editor of the "Alta California."

—It is expected that all the locations for half-breed minors in Manitoba will be completed before navigation opens.

—Mr. Hickson, General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, sailed in the Batavia on the 17th inst., for Canada.

—Up the Ottawa they are complaining of too much snow. Last week it snowed for 37 hours without stopping.

—Some of the Nova Scotia gold mines are turning out well; the Cariboo mine cleared $4,000 last month.

—The contractor for Section 16, Canadian Pacific Railway, is putting an increased force on the works.

—Two Divorce Bills passed a third reading in the Senate on Friday those of Scott and Holliwell.

—The erection of four new churches will be proceeded with in Toronto at once, and two will be enlarged and renovated.

—The threatened strike of the plasterers did not take place in New York, as the principal employers have increased the wages to $2.50 per day.

—Bishop Walsh, as commissioned by the Pope, yesterday gave the apostolic benediction to the congregation in St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

A LARGE SHOE BOIL on a valuable young horse was removed by GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA. SHEPPARD KNAPP, Carpets, 185 Sixth Avenue, New York.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 21.

Greenbacks buying at...	94¼ to 94¾
" selling at...	95¼ to 95½
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange	84¼

Gold opened at 104⅝; closed at 104⅝.

A common cough or cold should never be trifled with: often when neglected it is converted into a serious and generally fatal pulmonary disease. The more prudent, aware of this, promptly use "Bryan's Pulmonic Waters," a curative which has sustained its reputation for over twenty years. They are always efficacious and exert a most beneficial influence on all the bronchial and pulmonary organs. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 25 cents per box.

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By adopting a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, we shall be able to SELL OUR GOODS at a figure ensuring those who buy such ADVANTAGES as would be impossible under the CREDIT SYSTEM.

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I have great pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of the Town and County that in future I will be prepared to fill all orders in the

DRESS MAKING LINE

At Prices SUITED TO THE TIMES, and in a Style SURPASSED BY NONE.

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Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

A Choice Stock of

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WOOLS, SLIPPER PATTERNS,
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CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

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CALL AT THE

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339 FRONT STREET, BELLEVILLE,

And INSPECT the IMMENSE STOCK DAILY ARRIVING

ALL THE LATEST STYLES

GOODS SHOWN WITH PLEASURE

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FANCY AND SPORTING GOODS DEPOT

338 *FRONT STREET, Entrance to Foot Bridge.*

GOODS AT COST.

BARGAINS. BARGAINS.

Now is the Time! SALE CONTINUES ONLY ONE WEEK

FRED S. HAINES.

OPEN AGAIN.

W. W. Jones' Old Stand,

Opposite the

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The whole stock of

DRY GOODS,

MILLINERY,

CLOTHING & GROCERIES

Selling Off

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Call and Judge for Yourselves.

HATS. HATS. HATS. HATS. HATS.

SPRING STYLES. SPRING STYLES.

AT HAYMES'

10 CASES FINE ENGLISH STIFF HATS JUST OPENED.

All our English and American Hats are imported direct from THE MANUFACTURERS, thus saving for the consumer ALL MIDDLE PROFITS.

"CALL AND SEE OUR STYLES."

OUR NEW

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ARE COMING IN DAILY.

WE ARE PREPARED TO OFFER

EXTRA GOOD BARGAINS

In a well assorted Stock of DRY GOODS.

We call particular attention to our Fine Stock of

COTTON GOODS Better and Lower than ever

OUR SPRING CLOTHS

Are now complete, comprising all varieties of STYLES, SHADES and COLORS.

We are prepared to sell these Cloths at TWENTY-FIVE per cent Below Former Prices.

SUITS CUT AND MADE TO ORDER in LATEST STYLES

C. IRWIN,

March 7, 1877. 350 Front Street.

HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS That R HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS

NEW AMERICAN,
ENGLISH,
AND CANADIAN

SPRING HATS

FURS AT MANUFACTURERS COST!

AT GOLDSMITH & DAVENPORT'S

OLD STAND

G. C. HOLTON & Co

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

—OF—

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS!

Belleville, March 7th, 1877.

THE DUTIES OF ASSESSORS.

The following article on the duties of assessors, which we copy from the Stratford *Herald*, contains much that is of interest all over the Province of Ontario, particularly at the present time, when the work of assessment is going on, with the work of revision so soon to follow;—

A great responsibility rests upon the shoulders of every person who accepts, under any municipality, the office of assessor, and now they are, or at least should be, actively engaged in the compilation of their respective valuation rolls, a few words may not be out of place, and if heeded, may avoid the recurrence of a useless and expensive litigation between the town and country, which heretofore has caused, to say the least, an unpleasant feeling.

The assetament rolls should be properly and fairly made out, not only with regard to the actual value of the property, but also with respect to the bogus votes which frequently get on the list and are generally not detected until election time.

The assessor is not bound to accept the name of every one who represents himself to be duly qualified. The law declares that when the assesor has reasons to suspect that an applicant has not a just right to be assessed, it shall be his duty to make reasonable inquiries. To prevent negligence on the assessor's part, anotner clause makes him liable to fine and imprisonment for putting a name improperly on the roll; for assessing anyone too high in order to give him a vote, or too low in order to deprive him of a vote.

For years past, generally speaking, the assessor's work has been negligently done in many cases. In some instances men have had to do in two months what would take a man of integrity and ability six months to do legitimately and well, and being at the best poorly paid for the highly important work they are entrusted with, can we wonder it is not done satisfactorily?

All we ask is fair play throughout th county. We are on the eve of a great political change, and it behoves individuals and political associations to be watchful, to see that every man entitled to a vote has his name properly entered, and all attempts at bogus registration should be put down, and the parties punished.

An effort has been made in Lambton county, by means of a convention of assessors, "to procure a more uniform basis of assessment for the county, so that the assessed value thereof shall approximate the true value as intended by the assessment laws in force in Ontario."

This speaks well for the intelligence of the community; it seems that they are not willing to go on in the old way of bogus assessments, each municipality trying to cheat the other by making the assessments much contrary to the law as they know how, and allowing the biggest rogue, and the most dishonest assessment to come off best!

We trust the assessors of the County of Perth will heed this caution and exercise great care and impartiality in performing their labors. The law is very plain, and the penalty for violation very severe, and because no example has been made in the past, it is no criterion of what action may be taken by parties aggrieved in the future. We quote the following extracts from the Voters' List Act of 1875 6:—

To prevent the creation of false votes, where any person claims to be assessed, or claims that any other person should be assessed, as owner or occupant of any parcel of land, or as possessing the income which may entitle him to vote in the municipality at an election for the Legislative Assembly, and the assessor has reason to suspect that the person so claiming, or for whom the claim is made, has not a just right to be so assessed it shall be the duty of the assessor to make reasonable enquiries before assessing such a person.

Any assessor who wilfully and improperly inserts any name in the assessment roll or assesses any person at too high an amount, with intent in either case to give to any person not entitled thereto an apparent right of voting at any election, or who wilfully inserts any fictitious name in the assessment roll, or who wilfully and improperly omits any person from the assessment roll, or assesses any person at too high an amount with intent in either case to deprive any person of his right to vote, shall upon conviction thereof before a court of competent jurisdiction, be liable to a fine not exceeding $200, and to imprisonment until the fine be paid, or to imprisonment in the common gaol of the county or city for a period not exceeding six months, or in both such fine or imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court.

"OLD SI."

AT THE MASKED BALL.

(From the Atlanta, Ga., Constitution.)

Old Si was not around night before last. We asked him yesterday:

"Were you watching your chicken-roost last night?"

"No, sah; I wuz out on er fantastic 'scurshun."

"What was that, pray?"

"De mask ball down at Mr. Barlow's, yer kno'."

"Just looking on, I suppose?"

"Who?—me? No, sah; I wuz jess one ob de main precipitents in de percesshun!"

"And what character did you assume?"

"I had de boss clo'es on, sho', 'kase I wuz dar ripresentin' Gin'rul Washin'ton, ye heerd me!"

"I should like to have seen you then."

"Yer jess oughter pas'd de do' while I wuz sseeshayin' in dar! 'Taint ebery day dat yer kin see a cullud George Washin'ton fer er fac! Dem regymentils sot ter me like gol'-buckle harniss, an' when I raked dat swo'd on de flo' dey kno'd I wuz comin' an' dey opin'd ranks fer de army ter pass troo."

"I suppose you proved yourself 'first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of your countrymen?'"

"I dunno 'bout dat, but I kno's dis, dat I wuz fust at de ball, de wildes' hoss in de dance, an' de las' man at de feed-bor'd! Dat's de kine ob a Gen'rul Washin'ton dis ole man made, yer kin jess on'erstan', right now!"

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

MONEY TO LOAN

ON MORTGAGE Security, in sums from $100 to $5,000, at ow rate of Interest, Apply to

P. M. NULTY, Barrister.

Belleville, March 10th, 1874.

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TO

MAPLE SUGAR MAKERS

The undersigned has on hand SUPERIOR SAP BOILERS, BUCKETS AND SPIDS, t very moderate prices. Call and examine for yourselves.

THOS. LINKLATER, Stove and Tin Shop.

THE FIRST.

RECEIVED TO-DAY

ONE CASE OF

Ladies' Black & Brown Straws

IN THE

NEWEST STYLES

AND AT ALL PRICES.

—ALSO—

ANOTHER LOT of those CHEAP

2 Button FRENCH KIDS

WORTH $1,00,

ONLY 65c

AT COSTELLO'S

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Music—Theory and Practic .

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CLASS ROOM—One Door West of the Post Office, Upper Floor.

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We have again to call your attention to the numerous IMITATIONS of the

MYRTLE NAVY TOBA CO.

THE STAMP

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In Gilt Letters

Is on each Plug of the GENUINE.

Hamilton, Jan. 18th, 1877. d&w3m

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U. E. THOMPSON

BRIDGE STREET, BELLEVILLE.

A GENERAL Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Gold and currency drafts on United States Banks, and Greenbacks bought and sold at current rates.

Interest allowed on deposits subject to withdrawal without notice, at four and five per cent.

SCHOONER FOR SALE

THE schooner "Gazelle" will be sold for $2,500 Cash. For particulars apply to SAVAGE & McDONALD, Wellington.

Jan. 4, 1876. 6m

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THE NEW PATENT PERFORATED

Three-Ply VENEER Seated

CHAIRS!

The Neatest and Strongest

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N.B.—OLD CANE CHAIRS RESEATED with the PATENT VENEER SEAT.

FOR A

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PRESENT

BUY YOUR WIFE

ONE OF THE

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IT WILL BE SURE TO PLEASE HE

JOHN LEWIS & CO.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.

Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.

1st It is well known, having been established over five years.

2nd It is conveniently situated.

3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.

N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.

I. J. LOCKWOOD.

Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

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THIS DAY.

100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.

25 cases C. C. BACON.

25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES

100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,

CHEAP

—AT—

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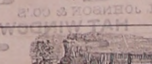

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Great Reduction in Fares. Return Tickets to all principal points.

TICKETS issued to all parts, fewer changes of Cars to the principal cities of the West than by any other route. Tickets issued direct to Chicago, Fort Garry, Omaha, San Francisco, the Black Hills Gold Region or any point in the West.

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American money taken at par for all points west of Detroit.

Tickets can be purchased of

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April 8th, 1876.

TO RENT

THE House and Premises of the late S. M. Benson, on Hotel Street. These premises are conveniently situated, near the business part of the town, and are well adapted for a Boarding House or private family.

Apply to D. B. ROBERTSON, Solicitor, Belleville, or J. BENSON, Esq., Napanee.

Belleville, Jan. 9, 1876, oawtf

FOR SALE.

A NEW MILCH COW.

Apply at THIS OFFICE.

March 6, 1877. tf

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SPRING

HATS.

MUIR & LAWRANCE,

285 ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, BELLEVILLE.

TO LET.

A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, Stable, Out-Buildings, &c., all in good repair. Also large Garden, situated two and a half miles from Belleville, next lot to Cemetery.

Apply to JACOB HICKS.

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HOW TO SAVE A DOCTOR'S BILL

GET ONE OF

Jewett's Patent Crystal Spring Filter,

Acknowledged the only complete Filter in the World.

Nothing is so destructive to health, and the disarrangement of the human system, as drinking impure Water. It is one great cause of all diseases the human frame is liable to. The Jewell Filter will effectually purify Rain, River, Pond, or Canal Water, making the most IMPURE WATER WHOLESOME and SWEET.

While for Cheapness, Durability, Simplicity and Efficiency they stand unrivaled.

Come and see them.

FOR SALE BY

THOS LINKLATER, Front Street, Belleville.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.

WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON.

WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.

Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm. Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

NOTICE.

T. WALTERS,

RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the

FIRST OF APRIL, 1877

If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.

Belleville, March 10, 1877, [d2w-4tw

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE "MINIMUM" System of Assurance has just been adopted by this Company, where

By a Partial Application of the Profits

Rates of Premium are charged

Lower than have Ever Before Been Offered for Life Assurance.

The following are the rates for Assurance of each $1,000, with profits upon the system referred to.

AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM	AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM	AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM	AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM	AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM	AGE	ANNUAL PREMIUM
21	$12 80	27	$15 80	33	$19 20	39	$23 80	45	$29 60	51	$37 60
22	13 10	28	16 49	34	19 80	40	24 70	46	30 60	52	39 60
23	13 50	29	16 90	35	20 40	41	25 60	47	31 60	53	41 70
24	14 00	30	17 50	36	21 10	42	26 50	48	32 70	54	44 00
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A. G. RAMSAY, Managing Director, Hamilton.

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OF LIVERPOOL.

CAPITAL - - - - - - $10.000.000

ASSETS - - - - - - 17.000.000

LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS, **UNLIMITED.**

The subscribers beg to notify their friends and the public that they are prepared to insure in this old established and well tried company, Dwelling Houses and their Contents, on most advantageous terms; and also continue to cover Mercantile Risks at the most favorable rates.

ROUTH & TATLEY, Chief Agents for the Dominion,
Feb. 20th, 1876. 3m

GEORGE D. DICKSON,
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Agents, Belleville.

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International

AND

CANADIAN

MEDALS,

WERE AWARDED TO

JOHN LABATT, LONDON, ONT.

AT THE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.

FOR ALE AND STOUT.

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JUST OPENED

And a very large lot Just Arrived per Steamships "Sardinian" and "Peruvian," which wil be in and opened in a few days, at

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UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,

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RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency NEW YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, or LONDONDERRY. Cabins, $65 to $80, according to accommodations. Excursion Tickets, $120 to $140.

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STEERAGE always as low as by any other n

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Agent, E. W. DAVY, Front St. Opposite the Market, Belleville.

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TWO CASES OF

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BEST AMERICAN GOODS,

Direct from the Manufacturers, Troy, N. Y.

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FURNITURE

OF ALL KINDS

REPAIRED,

UPHOLSTERING OF ALL KINDS done, Cane seated chairs reseated, Mattrasses made to order and old ones repaired,

WHITE WASHING.

Painting and Paper Hanging, Gentlemen's Clothes Cleaned, Ladies Straw Hats Dyed Black, and is willing to go to any part of the town to do the work.

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Continues to impart thorough instruction in

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Beginners and pupils in every stage of advancement are received. Ignorant and incompetent teachers abound in this town. Parents will do well to avoid and neglect them.

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MONEY TO LOAN.

IN sums from $2.00 to $20,000 and from one year to 20 years on Real Estate. No Commission. No double Expenses, the undersigned being sole agent and valuator.

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By an Experienced Workman,

AT WALLACE'S

Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.

WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.

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ON real estate security on reasonable terms

HENRY BLEECKER, Solicitor, &c., Few doors east of P O.

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—DONE—

Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously

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SUGAR CURED HAMS

BREAKFAST BACON,

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Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.

Received this day - SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS

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April 18th, 1876

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MAIL STEAMERS

FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL.

Sailing from New York as follows:

CITY OF BERLIN .. Saturday, Mar. 24, 1 p.m,
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CITY OF MONTREAL .. Saturday, Apr. 7, 12:30 p.m
CITY OF RICHMOND .. Saturday, Apr. 14, 3 p.m,
CITY OF BRUSSELS .. Saturday, Apr. 21, at noon

Passengers will find these steamers tastefully fitted up, and the staterooms large and perfectly ventilated: The saloons are the entire width of the vessel, and situated where there is least noise and motion, greatly lessening the liability to sea sickness. Smoking rooms, Ladies' Boudoirs, Piano-fortes and Libraries, Bath rooms, Barber's shop, Electric Bells, Spacious Promenade Decks, &c.

Southerly course during the ice season.

Rates of Passage—$80 and $100, gold, according to accommodation, all having equal saloon privileges.

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Steerage To and from all points at reduced rates.

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Have used it for their own cure.

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—FOR—

Rheumatism, Neuralia, Gout,

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Stiffness in Limbs or Joints, Sprains, Frostbites, Chilblains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Wandering Pains, &c., &c., &c.,

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March, 9th, 1876.

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I sign myself very respectfully yours.

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Belleville, Dec 8th, 1875

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DOLLARS!

Grand Cheap Sale

—OF—

WOOLLEN GOODS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

TERMS CASH.

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which will be sold cheap for cash, in lots to suit purchasers.

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WORSTED COATINGS,

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IN GREAT VARIETY

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500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
10 Barrels PEEL,

TO BE SOLD AT COST

Within the Next TEN DAYS

At the store of the Late

JOHN TEMPLETON

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Cherry Pectoral,

For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.

Among the great discoveries of modern science, few are of more real value to mankind than this effectual remedy for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. A vast trial of its virtues throughout this and other countries, has shown that it does surely and effectually control them. The testimony of our best citizens, of all classes, establishes the fact, that CHERRY PECTORAL will and does relieve and cure the afflicting disorders of the Throat and Lungs beyond any other medicine. The most dangerous affections of the Pulmonary Organs yield to its power; and cases of Consumption, cured by this preparation, are publicly known, so remarkable as hardly to be believed, were they not proven beyond dispute. As a remedy it is adequate, on which the public may rely for full protection. By curing Coughs, the forerunners of more serious disease, it saves unnumbered lives, and an amount of suffering not to be computed. It challenges trial, and convinces the most sceptical. Every family should keep it on hand as a protection against the early and unperceived attack of Pulmonary Affections, which are easily met at first, but which become incurable, and too often fatal, if neglected. Tender lungs need this defence; and it is unwise to be without it. As a safeguard to children, amid the distressing diseases which beset the Throat and Chest of childhood, CHERRY PECTORAL is invaluable; for, by its timely use, multitudes are rescued from premature graves, and saved to the love and affection centred on them. It acts speedily and surely against ordinary colds, securing sound and health-restoring sleep. No one will suffer troublesome Influenza and painful Bronchitis, when they know how easily they can be cured.

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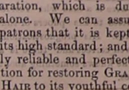

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Every year increases the popularity of this valuable Hair Preparation, which is due to merit alone. We can assure our old patrons that it is kept fully up to its high standard; and it is the only reliable and perfected preparation for restoring GRAY OR FADED HAIR to its youthful color, making it soft, lustrous, and silken. The scalp, by its use, becomes white and clean. It removes all eruptions and dandruff, and, by its tonic properties, prevents the hair from falling out, as it stimulates and nourishes the hair-glands. By its use, the hair grows thicker and stronger. In baldness, it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, and will create a new growth, except in extreme old age. It is the most economical HAIR-DRESSING ever used, as it requires fewer applications, and gives the hair a splendid, glossy appearance. A. A. Hayes, M.D., State Assayer of Massachusetts, says, "The constituents are pure, and carefully selected for excellent quality; and I consider it the BEST PREPARATION for its intended purposes."

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Price One Dollar.

Buckingham's Dye.

FOR THE WHISKERS.

As our Renewer in many cases requires too long a time, and too much care, to restore gray or faded Whiskers, we have prepared this dye, in *one preparation*, which will quickly and effectually accomplish this result. It is easily applied, and produces a color which will neither rub nor wash off. Sold by all Druggists. Price Fifty Cents.

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Down with Monopoly.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

THE public are informed that the Government has no Sole Agent here for the sale of Standard Measures, notwithstanding statements to the contrary.

I am now prepared to furnish the public with measures of my own manufacture, made of the best material, and at moderate prices.

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All orders left at Mr. Purdy's Music Room will be immediately attended to.

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XX AND XXX ALES.

THE Subscriber in returning thanks to his friends and the trade generally for the liberal patronage extended to him, would call attention to his

SUPERIOR XX AND EXXX ALES,

WHICH ARE ACKNOWLEDGED TO BE EQUAL TO ANY ALES NOW MANUFACTURED

In the Dominion, and which he is now prepared to supply in

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OR IN KEGS.

All Orders Promptly Supplied

JAMES ROY.

Belleville, May 17th, 1876.

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S. S. WALLBRIDGE, JR. HAS removed his Law Office to No. 4 Graham's Block. Entrance from Campbell Street.

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DR. JOHN J. FARLEY, OFFICE, Front Street, over Chandler's Drug Store. Residence Dufoe House.

S. A. ABBOTT, M. D., GRADUATE of Queen's University and member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. OFFICE—over Clarke & Co.'s Drug Store, next to Dominion Hotel, Front Street, Belleville. 73ly.

JAMES F. QURLETT, M.D. OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, east part of Holden's Brick Block, Front St., near the Montreal bank. 2.

A. HOCKWELL, M. D., PHYSICIAN, Surgeon, &c. Graduate of Queen's College, Kingston. Office, Frankford.

B. S. WILLSON M. D. O. M. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Graduate of McGill University, Montreal; Licentiate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Quebec; formerly House Apothecary to Montreal General Hospital; Coroner for the County of Hastings. Residence and Office, Pinnacle Street, in the house recently occupied by the A. L. Bogart, Esq., opposite the Lodge House. 103

DR. TRACY, PHYSICIAN, Surgeon and Accoucheur. Office and Residence—Two doors east from the Bank of Montreal, near the Congregational Church, Hotel Street, Belleville.

GEORGE POTTS, M.D., PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, ETC., ETC. Office, Confederation Life Association of Canada. Office hours from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 6, 1874.

DR. CHARLES RIDLEY, OFFICE Merchant's Bank, Pinnacle Street. 30 1

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DENTISTS.

GEO. W. WALKLEY, L. D. S. SURGEON DENTIST, FRONT STREET, Belleville. Office: Directly opposite the Anglo-American House, and over W. W. Jones' Store 38

M. D. WARD, L. D. S. SURGEON DENTIST, Opposite Commercial College, Harrison's Block, Belleville.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE. MONEY TO LOAN. Apply to Dougall & Clute, Barristers, &c., Front St., Belleville. A. R. DOUGALL. R. C. CLUTE.

QUEEN'S HOTEL LATE HAWLEY HOUSE, A. F. FERRELL, Proprietor. Belleville, May 23rd, 1876.

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THE STADACONA FIRE & LIFE INSURANCE CO. HEAD OFFICE, QUEBEC.

FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1876.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$228,773 00
Total Losses,	65,529 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,858 00
Total Assets	$293,784 00

This Company has now established itself and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.

(Signed) GEO J PYKE, General Manager.

Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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1 do RELIEFS
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,

H. C. RAY, Robertson block, Belleville. March 8th, 1877. dawtf

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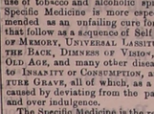

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CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR, DEBILITY, Nervous Debility, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, Loss of MEMORY, UNIVERSAL LASSITUDE, PAIN IN THE BACK, DIMNESS OF VISION, PREMATURE OLD AGE, and many other diseases that lead to INSANITY or CONSUMPTION, and a PREMATURE GRAVE, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.

The Specific Medicine is the result of a long study and many years of experience in treating those special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent by mail on receipt of the money by addressing

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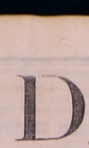
REMOVAL. FOR want of room, Wm. Dickens & Sons will remove to BULL'S NEW BLOCK. On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the *Baking and Confectionery Line.* Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same. WM DICKENS & SONS.



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IT has been the ambition of the Proprietor of this Establishment to supply a FIRST-CLASS article. He is fortunate and proud in having for Foreman skilled Mechanics, who are SECOND TO NONE in their line.

All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered

At Lowest Reasonable Rates.

And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.

WEDDING CAKES, CHRISTENING CAKES, JELLIES, &c., &c.

TURKEYS BONED, DRESSED AND JELLIED TONGUES JELLIED AND ORNAMENTED. HAMS COOKED AND ORNAMENTED.

Ice Creams, Water Ices, &c. &c MADE TO ORDER.

A NEW THING. COCOA-NUT MACAROONS. BREAD.

A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning. PHIL. H. HAMBLY.

Feb. 10th, 1877.

BIG COAL HOUSE MR. WM. JOHNSTON IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst.

Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.

Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment. DOWNEY & POPE.

Feb. 10th, 1877.

STAMPED IMPERIAL MEASURES OF *Best Make and Material,* —AND— STOVES OF ALL KINDS, CHEAPER FOR CASH! Than Anywhere else.

AT CHOWN'S STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE. 361 Front St., Belleville.

HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

DOORS! DOORS! MADE on honor of 1½ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT THOMAS McRae's STEAM PLANING MILL, Sash, Door, and Blind Factory Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.

PLANING, MATCHING, GROOVING, &c., &c. and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business. Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN! CONTRACTS Taken for building throughout at the lowest price. Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be PROMPTLY FILLED THOMAS McRAE

Belev Dec 20, 1875.

NEW SPRING STOCK! —OF— BOOTS AND SHOES, JUST RECEIVED AT THE KINGSTON Penitentiary Boot & Shoe Store CONSISTING OF GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S, Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of Gents' Walking BOOTS, Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS. *ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,* All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash. No. 367 FRONT STREET. Next to Gent's Drug Store, Belleville. Mar. 14th, 1877.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

The Malicious Report of the DEATH AND BURIAL —OF— CHEAP JOHN! Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is AGAIN IN THE FIELD, AND WILL WAR TO THE KNIFE *Against High Prices!*

At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, CROCKERY, &c., AT PRICES THAT DEFY COMPETITION.

He has made large additions to his stock, and as he has purchased entirely for Cash, he is enabled to sell at Prices LOWER THAN EVER.

GROCERIES:

SUGAR, 13 lbs. for $1.00; Rice 4c per lb.; Currants 7c per lb.; Coffee 18c per lb; Good Japan Tea 20c per lb, Barley 4c per lb; Raisins 8c per lb; Sardines 12c per box; Canned Fruit 15c per can; Choice Pickles 15c per bottle; Tobacco 30c per lb; Cigars $15 per 1,000; Choice Syrups 40c to 70c per gal; Soap at almost nothing

DRY GOODS:

UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Steamloons 5c per yard; Wincey 8c per yard; Lustres 13c per yd; Prints 5c per yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Pins 3c per paper; Flannels 18c per yard; Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All-Wool Shawls $2.25.

Ready-Made Clothing

ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4. Boy's Complete Suits $2.50; Hats and Caps almost given away.

BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, &c., at ruinously Low Prices

CROCKERY—A large assortment at less than half the usual prices.

TERMS CASH, and No Second Price Remember the New Store, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, next door to the RED FRONT STORE, where CHEAP JOHN IS HIMSELF AGAIN.

Belleville, March 14, 1877.

SELF RAISING BUCK WHEAT FLOUR.

No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

PANCAKES.—Take as much Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour as is required for the occasion—add gradually, cold water or milk to make a soft batter. Then BAKE AT ONCE.

—ALSO—

SELF RAISING PASTRY FLOUR, SELF RAISING GRAHAM FLOUR.

A supply just received.

GEORGE WALLBRIDGE, GROCER AND WINE MERCHANT.

Jan. 19th 1877.

FOR CASH ONLY. CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP, GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS AT THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.

Call at once for Bargains.

J. McGUIRE.

FISH! FISH!! FRESH HADDOCK, FINNAN HADDIES, YARMOUTH BLOATERS, BONELESS COD, MACKEREL, in Kitts, JUST RECEIVED. GEO. WALLBRIDGE, Grocer and Wine Merchant. Feb, 12th, 1877

ELEPHANT CLOTHING STORE. C. E. PEIRCE

BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL

in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C., AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS, All bought especially for this trade.

As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED. CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL, 311 Front St.

March 12, 1877.

BAY CITY MARBLE WORKS, J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS To Condon's Block, East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of MONUMENTS, MANTLES, HEAD-STONES, and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.

SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS, always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere. Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge. J. T. LATTIMER.

Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

FRESH FISH! FRESH OYSTERS! ROSS & DAVIES Have received and offer for sale FRESH COD, FRESH HADDOCK, FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS, SALT WATER SALMON in Brls SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls WHITE FISH in Half Brls.

R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers THE CELEBRATED DIAMOND RAND OYSTERS!

(Which, owing to the freeze that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.

R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior SUGAR CURED HAMS, From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.

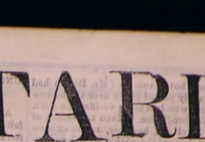
ROSS & DAVIES, Family Grocers and Wine Merchants, Corner Front & Bridge Sts. BELLEVILLE, ONT.

Feb. 2nd, 1877.

GEORGE E. SMALL PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant, Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant, BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET, *Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.*

Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.

Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated, Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited. March 3, 77.



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These Pianos are noted for LOW PRICE, ELASTIC TOUCH, SINGING QUALITIES, DELICACY & POWER of TONE And GREAT DURABILITY.

Special Inducements to Clergymen, Dealers and Teachers of Music.

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It prevents "blistering" and the iron sticking.
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It gives a beautiful ivory finish and brightens all colors
It is warranted to contain no injurious ingredients.
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For dressing Ladies' Clothing, Muslins, Cambrics, Lawns, etc., Linen Glace is invaluable.
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25 EXTRA FINE MIXED CARDS, with name, 10 cts., post paid. L. JONES & Co., Nassau, N. Y.

THIS IS NO HUMBUG. By sending 35 cts., with age, height, color of eyes and hair, you will receive by return mail a correct delineation of your future husband or wife, with name and date of marriage. Address W. FOX, P.O. Box 256, Fulton-ville, N.Y.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine.

WANTED men to travel and sell our Lamp Goods to DEALERS. Salary $85 a month, hotel and traveling expenses paid. No peddling. Address MONITOR LAMP CO., Cincinnati, O.

CARDS, on two walks, with name, 10 cts. postpaid. NASSAU CARD CO, NASSAU, N Y

100 DAYS TOMATO EARLIEST AND MOST PRODUCTIVE. Packets Gregory's Sold last year into every State and the Canadas with great success. Experience Not Needed to Succeed. Sent for packet, 25 cents; six for $1.00. Price List of Valuable Seeds sent with every order. J. A. FOOTE SIMMONS, ROCKY HILL, CONN.

TEXAS Farming and Stock Lands and Passenger Tickets for sale at Lowest Rates. Emigrants' Guide free. DR. AMMI BROWN, 58 Scarr Building, Boston, Mass.

25 MIXED CARDS, or 25 Gift, with name, 10 cts Address SPENCER AND CO, NASSAU, N Y

SEEDS. SEEDS. JUST RECEIVED *A Large and Well-Selected Stock of* CHOICE SEEDS! From the most reliable growers in England, France and United States. True to Name and 1876 Growth. APOTHECARIES HALL J. H. HAMBLY.

PENMANSHIP IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

BY S. G. BEATTY, PRINCIPAL OF ONTARIO BUSINESS COLLEGE.

(Continued from yesterday.)

The difference between success and failure in teaching penmanship lies in a clear conception of the different steps in its acquisition, and a rigid adherence to the fundamental principles of the Art; and, above all, the ability to stimulate endeavor in the pupil, whether by the teachers own skill as a penman, or his power to control and direct to successful results by black-board illustrations and criticisms as formerly explained.

1st. It must be recognized that the lesson in Writing is an *active exercise*, in which both teacher and pupil are to participate for the purpose of promoting dexterity in the use of the pen by the pupil.

2nd. That the pupil naturally looks to the teacher for his model and guide in his *modus operandi*, as he does to his copy for the matter to be written.

Hence it follows that the teacher must be alert, active, wide awake, and attentive to the work in hand, and thus furnish a proper and prompt example for the pupil's imitation, as well as the precepts which are to guide his performance.

No exercise of the school room calls for more *physical exertion* on the part of the teacher than instruction in penmanship. After the explanation is given on the board each pupil should be visited at his seat, and directed in position and movement, and be given free opportunity to watch the teacher's motions in writing an occasional word or copy. His attention should, moreover, be directed to the manner of taking and holding the pen, managing ink and paper, place of starting each letter and manner of forming and combining them in words, as well as arranging them in lines and columns.

HOW TO INSTRUCT PRIMARY CLASSES.

While I am decidedly in favor of teaching the more advanced pupils by *elements, principles,* &c., I do not believe in introducing them at the outset. The first lessons in writing should be made as simple as possible; should be mere exercises to initiate while learning penholding, position and movement. I do not believe in parading principles, symbols, &c., before beginners, as is done in the elementary copy books of most systems of penmanship; in giving them exact science represented by the Quadrant, with its 90 degrees, enveloping and obscuring the copies with a cloud of sententious instructions, impossible for a child to understand.

Appeals to mature judgment, logical reasoning, cultivated taste, mathematical knowledge, and accumulated skill and experience, are all right in their place, but should not be paraded before the timid youth just beginning the subject of penmanship.

The first lesson should be copies of simple letters to be practiced on slates; and the plan I have seen successfully adopted is to have the slates all ruled on one side with light permanent lines, properly spaced. The time devoted to each exercise should be about half an hour, or not sufficient to weary the pupils. The pencils should be of sufficient length to be held like pens, and the manner of using them should be very carefully taught.

On account of the liability of the pencils in common use to break, it is a matter of economy and convenience to use those covered with wood, as they are both cheap and durable.

The copy, as before intimated, should be as nearly perfect as possible in order that proper ideas of form may be impressed on the learner's mind from the beginning. The first lessons must proceed on the same plan as drawing, and indeed can be termed nothing but pencil drawing of the letters and words used in the copy.

On account of the tendency of young pupils to break slates and lose pencils, it is much better for the teacher to take charge of them. Monitors should be appointed to pass the slates and pencils. Their duties should be arranged in accordance with the seating of the school room, and should be thoroughly understood by them. They may be appointed as a mark of favor for proficiency or good conduct, and taught to look upon the position as a very honorable one.

The plan of conducting the exercise may be something after the following order:—

First.—*Prepare for writing;* when all other work should be laid aside and desks cleared. A given signal should then bring up the monitor to pass slates and pencils.

Second.—Write the copy plainly on the board so that the entire class may see it. Let it be a letter, a succession of letters or a word, according to the proficiency of the class.

Third.—Explain how you require it copied, and point out the mistakes they are likely to run into and explain how they may be avoided.

Fourth.—Give the signal to commence writing. The teacher should then pass around among the pupils correcting position at desk, pencil holding, mistakes in formation, &c., until the exercise is about half over, when he should illustrate on the board the principal errors he has observed in passing around, and call on the pupils to name the different mistakes in formation and tell how they should be corrected. The last five minutes should be devoted to critical examination of your productions themselves, permitting them to erase and correct any letter with which they are not satisfied.

Fifth.—The monitors should at the close bring up the slates and pencils and deposit them in their proper places, and when an opportunity is afforded they should be carefully examined and criticised by the teacher.

A correct number of recognized errors in the exercise may be counted a failure; a less number imperfect; and no failure in leading features may constitute a perfect lesson.

A small record book may be kept, into which these marks may be entered; and in order that this may be readily done, each pupil should be numbered, and they should be required to place their numbers conspicuously at the head of the slate, and the monitors should arrange them with the highest number at the bottom of the pile, and so on up in regular order, that the standing may be readily marked as the slates are examined.

These exercises, if properly carried on, will become very interesting to primary pupils, and they will look forward to the writing hour with pleasure.

The principal difficulty, at first, is drilling them in position, pencil-holding, preparing for the exercise and closing. About one-half the time during the first week should be spent in drilling on these particulars.

Great care should be taken to explain all the errors for which they are to be held accountable, beforehand, with ample illustra-

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The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 23.

THERE is some excitement in Europe, consequent upon the action of the British Government in refusing to consider Russia's protocol modifications until suitable guarantees of demobolization are given. It is not likely, however, that anything serious will result from the stand taken by England.

THE Charlevoix election comes off to-day. Some of the Liberals at Ottawa, who are kept well posted on what is transpiring in the Riding, are betting five to one on Tremblay's election, which is regarded as certain. The contest will be much closer than usual, but we predict Mr. Langevin's election.

MR. LORN MCDOUGALL is a philosopher. At any rate, he takes a philosophical view of a certain characteristic element in Civil Service and kindred employments. He argued on the basis that "a man's cheek is generally in in verse proportion to his ability," and expressed the opinion that many secured positions through pertinaciousapplication who were not entitled to them. Mr. McDougall was arguing in favor of Mr. Casey's Civil Service Reform Bill.

LUBY, "the Irish patriot," made a fool of himself in Toronto last Saturday evening, and he was applauded by others equally as foolish. Being in free Canada and under a liberal British Government, he could spout treason to his heart's content, and no one offered to molest the idiot. He is a demagogue, and a traitor, and of infinitisimally small proportions, too. Why, then, in the name of common sense, does any decent journal give him notoriety by reporting his insane mutterings and devoting columns to abuse of his doctrines. He is not worth the powder. Contempt is his only deserts.

MR. GUTHRIE, the member for South Wellington, is not disappointing those who expected from him good service in the House. The best proof we require of his ability and influence is given in the *Mail's* Ottawa correspondence. Mr. Guthrie conducts the enquiry before the Northern Railway Committee, and he subjects witnesses to such a close and critical examination that they get mad and make an exhibition of their good manners. Of course the organ must do something to help those who are not able to help themselves. So the correspondent is instructed to paint Mr. Guthrie in colors of his own fancy, and the picture is duly paraded. He is represented as impertinent, loquacious and bad-tempered, and by his officious conduct has made himself very obnoxious to the members of the Committee. Tory writers have a comprehensive way of speaking. It must be understood that "the Committee" in this connection means the three Opposition members, to whom, no doubt, Mr. Guthrie is an object of aversion,—and for very good reasons.

MINORITY REPRESENTATION.

Mr. Devlin has secured a committee to enquire into and report upon the practical working of our Parliamentary system of representation, and some of the reforms adopted elsewhere with a view of remedying certain alleged defects. The object of his motion is to obtain minority representation in Parliament. The theory is eminently Reform in principle, and appeals strongly for intelligent discussion and legislation. But it is decidedly radical in sentiment and requires careful investigation. Mr. Blake gave utterance to the doctrine in his famous Aurora speech, which has excited so much interested criticism, and, therefore, his views at the present juncture are of much importance. The following is a portion of his speech on Mr. Devlin's motion:—

"He held that the present system did not merely afford no guarantee that the opinions of the people as expressed at the polls should be represented in this House proportionately to their strength, but it afforded no guarantee that the majority at the polls might not be in an absolute minority in this House. His investigations as to the returns in his own Province of the elections of 1867, convinced him that, assuming the acclamation elections on the most reasonable basis that could be obtained as to the relative strength of parties in those constituencies, the elections occurring subsequently to and preceding the election, and thus arrived at a conclusion as to what would have been the popular vote had there been a contest in every county, the Liberal party would have had a very slight majority in the Province of Ontario; that of the eighty-two members who were returned the popular vote would have returned slightly more than forty one, and therefore it would have been forty-two against forty, being the nearest approximation that could have been got. As a fact it was thirty-nine to forty-three. In the same election the Province of Nova Scotia returned eighteen members against Confederation, and one only, and that gentleman by a very narrow majority, on the other side of the question, so that if that was to be taken as an expression of the opinion of the people of that Province upon that important subject, it was next door to unanimous. But the best calculations he could make led him to believe that the real expression of popular opinion in Nova Scotia was about twelve to seven. In the last election in Nova Scotia, too, there were nineteen members returned to support the Government, only one gentleman in opposition, and one gentleman, the member for Cape Breton, as an independent, but whom he (Mr. Blake) had at an early period given over to the enemy, and who had since verified his (Mr. Blake's) prediction. Even the return of 19 to 2 did not, however, really express the opinions of the people of Nova Scotia upon that occasion, which was not at all so favorable to this Government as that return would make it appear. (Hear, hear.) To the late general election in the Province of Ontario the same observations applied. Those who investigated the subject would find that the popular vote was not so strongly in favor of the Government as the return in this House, by any means. He stated this knowing that hon. gentlemen would suppose that they told against his party, but they were discussing a matter in which the interests of all parties were concerned, and under such circumstances he was willing to state the facts no matter which way they turned. If the returns showed that there was an approximation to an expression of public opinion gained at the polls, they might fairly say it was not necessary to go further, but a committee investigating the question would find, putting the matter in the simplest possible form, and assuming that there are but two parties in the country, and no diverging shades of opinion, and assuming that those two parties were represented proportionately to their strength at the polls, putting out of view other difficulties (and he thought there were other difficulties), leaving people without any other representation than the illusory one which they now find in majorities in other districts, he said that putting this matter on this simple basis they would find upon inquiry that the system under which they are now acting did not answer that demand, but to put the matter in this form would be to ignore the present condition of public opinion. It would be ignoring the spirit of the age to suppose that at this time and under existing circumstances there would not be divergence of opinion."

Editorial Notes.

THE contractors on the Ottawa and Montreal Railway have paid up their men, and work is again being resumed.

THE City of Toronto will probably lose twenty thousand pounds sterling through Baron Grant.

THE University boat race takes place on the Thames, England, from Putney to Mortlake to-morrow morning.

MRS. YOUMANS is confident that the Dunkin Act will be adopted in the County of York by a thousand majority.

FRANCIS DOLL, the jeweller of Peterborough who shot himself, died yesterday morning.

[illegible] LON, of Toronto, has challenged Ross, of St. John, N. B., to row a three or four mile sculling race on Toronto Bay, for $1,000 aside.

SINCE the 14th of January 76 persons have died in Montreal of diphtheria. Deficient sanitary arrangements are the cause.

THE first of a series of billiard matches between Wm. Jackes, of Cobourg, Champion of Canada, and S. B. Watson, of St. Albans, Vt., was won by the latter.

GRAND VICAR LANGEVIN, who goes to Rome with the Pilgrimage in May next, will, it is said, while there, interview the Pope anent his brother's celebrated Rimouski *mandement*.

MISS THOMPSON, the pretty young English artist who painted "Balaklava" and the "Roll Call," and gained great praise thereby, is about to be married. The bridegroom is Major Butler, of the British army, author of the "Great Lone Land." The young lady does not intend to give up art, but will continue her painting and studying.

"THE PATRIOT LUBY."

We have provoked the indignation of another "patriot" by our modest reference to Mr. Thomas Clarke Luby, as the following eloquent epistle will testify:—

"To the Editor of ONTAIRO.

"SIR it seems to me that Mr. Thomas Clark Luby gives you and the like of you a great deal of trouble you say he calls himself a patriot i say he do not but his countrymen call him their patriot i supose if that imposter Chineqy should come and lecture on the Seege of Dery walls and no Surrender you would not have the lip on it you also alluded that an irish man rote to your cogrit organ in toronto calling He Luby a fire brand (it would be well Carman if you would shut and give mr Luby a rest.

"Your
"SCULABOGE BARN."

SAILING OVER BURIED NATIONS.

From St. John's "Here and There."

The whole channel of the Mediterranean must be strewed with human bones. Carthaginians, Syrians, Egyptians, Sidonians, Persians, Greeks and Romans—there they lie, side by side, beneath the eternal waters, and the modern ship that fetches freight from Alexandria sails in its whole course over buried nations. It may be the corruption of the dead that now adds brightness to the phosphorescence of the waves. All told me in the East that a superstition exists on this subject, which represents the spirits of the departed as hovering whether on land or water, over spots where the ruins of their tabernacles are found; so that in plowing the Mediterranean we sail through armies of ghosts more multitudinous than the waves. These patient spirits sometimes ride on the foam, and at other times repose in those delicious little hollows which look like excavated emeralds between the crests of the waves. It is their union a thronging together, says the Orientals, that constitute the phosphorescence of the sea; for wherever there is light the billows flash with the luminousness of vanished generations, that concentrate, as it were, the starlight on their wings.

—The Railway Commissioners are all in Quebec, and it is reported that the local Cabinet will, at their meeting to-day, decide the question of the route of the North Shore Railway between Three Rivers and Montreal.

UNCLE TOM ON HIS INTERVIEW WITH THE QUEEN.

A London paper this evening has the following interesting report of Mr. Henson's remarks upon the interview noted above:—"The Rev. Josiah Henson ("Uncle Tom"), addressing at a meeting in Edinburgh, referred to his interview with the Queen. He said that when he saw the Queen she met him very gracefully, and they might rely on it that he endeavored to meet her as gracefully. (Laughter.) She was neatly dressed, so was I. (Laughter.) She came and made a very polite bow to me, and so did I. (Laughter.) She said that she had long read of me, and heard a great deal about me, and was happy to see me, indeed. I did not say ditto—(laughter)—but I thought ditto—(renewed laughter)—and said this, that I had had for a long time a great desire to see Her Majesty in person, that I might have the honor of presenting to Her Majesty private thanks for the honor which she had conferred upon herself by granting United States slaves an asylum from the hand of the cruel oppressor. I said whenever a slave struck the soil of Great Britain he was a man, and a free man. (Applause.) At every sentence Her Majesty would make a polite bow, and so would I—(laughter—and I told her how our petitions had been ascending to God in prayer and thankfulness for the privilege which she had given us in Canada from the armed hand of the oppressor. (Applause.) I said that we would be always an honor to the Crown, and the greatest blessing we could confer upon Her Majesty would be to hope that all her subjects should behave themselves. (Laughter and applause.) The Queen (he said) then turned round to one of her ladies in attendance and got something, and walking back to me, asked if I would have this as a token from her. It was a beautiful—what do you call it?—(laughter)—portrait. Here it is. (Mr. Henson here exhibited the portrait amid loud applause.) I was not (he proceeded to say) very nervous, for I had just got one of the finest dinners I ever had—(laughter)—and I must say that both I and Mr. Bowden enjoyed it very much. (Laughter.) There were three or four men bowing around us, and I thought I had got into a very fine place, as indeed I had. (Laughter.) The Queen then sent for my better-half and Mr. Bowden, and when they came up I found that he had found out the knack of bowing and scraping as well as myself. (Laughter.) And so we kept up bowing and backing to our fill. (Laughter.)"

THE QUEEN'S PICTURE.

Dr. Henry Howard, now Medical Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum at Longue Pointe, furnishes the following information of how the Queen's Picture was saved when the Parliament House was burned at Montreal, during the terrible riot of the 25th of April, 1849:—

"The four of us, that is the two Todds, White and myself, came down together, and met in the passage where the 'Queen's Picture' hung. 'Captains Wily and Turner,' I cried out, 'Let us save the Queen's Picture!' and jumped over the rails followed by White, Turner and Alfred Todd. The latter proposed to cut it out of the frame, and was proceeding to do so when a good shake of the frame caused the picture to drop out—that is, the canvas or frame it was stretched on. White took hold of one end and I of the other. We got over the rails and were coming down the stairs when I found that we—White and I—were alone. We heard the cry, 'Save yourselves!' and immediately volumes of smoke rushed up the stairs. White let go the picture and I saw no more of him. I afterwards found he had made his way through the side door, for which door I was also searching, but the flames met me and I veered a little to the right, which brought me into the Porters room, still holding on to the picture. There was no one in the Porters room, and there was not a shred of the window frame—all had been broken to pieces. I got up into the window drawing the picture after me. There was a lot of men under the window outside, who told me not to be afraid, but drop myself down. I did so bringing the picture with me through the window. While the picture was passing through the window, it struck and twisted. I then endeavored to pass through the crowd to the other side of the street, when a 'seedy' looking fellow, wearing a body coat and a high hat (I did not know the man), asked me what was that I had. I said 'The Queen's picture.' He in a moment sent his foot through it, and the next moment was stretched on his back by a blow of a stick given from behind me and over my right shoulder. I never knew who gave that blow, but it was given with a hearty good-will. The next moment Sergeant Bryan was by my side, saying 'Run, Doctor, or you will be murdered.' He and I got on the other side of the road, here there were two other policemen. I then said to Bryan, 'Get the picture off to the Chief's office,' and I gave it to him; glad at the time to get rid of what had nearly cost me my life to save and glad to leave such a pandemonium."

AT THE ANTIPODES.

PREPARING FOR THE SYDNEY EXHIBITION.

By papers just received from Sydney we learn that the amount of money voted by the Parliament to provide for the display of New South Wales products at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia appears to have proved a profitable investment. By last mail Mr. William Fleming, one of the Commissioners for Canada, arrived, and the Hon. John Young was expected in a few days. These gentlemen are appointed by the Government to receive and display at the Metropolitan Intercolonial Exhibition, to be held in Sydney in April next, specimens of the arts, manufactures and industries of the British Possessions in Canada; they have also to study and report upon the natural resources of Australia. The exhibits from that country at the Centennial, and the information so readily afforded by its Commissioners have established that Australia is also a country where intelligence and wealth are to be found. Its free trade policy seems to have impressed the Americans, and have caused the people, both of the States and Canada, to have turned a longing eye to the map of Australia. The Ocean Gem has not yet arrived, but Mr. Fleming is all ready to be present at the landing and unpacking of the exhibits sent by that vessel. The aggregate of the shipments by Ocean Gem and other vessels amount to upwards of 1,200 tons, composed of samples only of implements, machinery, and other goods of American and Canadian manufacture, selected by or under the special supervision of the Commissioners for New South Wales at the Centennial Exhibition.

THE SECRET SERVICE COMMITTEE.

The following is a synopsis of Sir. John's evidence before the Secret Service Committee yesterday:—

"Sir John Macdonald was called and examined. In answer to Mr. Blake he said he presumed it was a natural inference that the cheque for $1,000 charged in No. 1. special account, dated Dec. 27th 1871 was the cheque mentioned in a letter of that date sent to Archbishop Tache on behalf of Riel. Witness disclaimed responsibility for Sir Francis Hincks, advances out of the Secret Service fund to Schultz, Lynch and others, as he had not yet recovered from his illness of the summer of 1870, and for nearly a year had left the matters connected with the accounts to the Finance Minister. He admitted having received from the Bank in March and August, 1873, all the vouchers and cheques, but he had not the slightest idea of what became of them, or whether or not they are in existence. They should have been destroyed, and he presumed they were, but he did not know nor could he give the name of the person into whose hands they passed. He did not pretend to keep the account at all, but left this to the Finance Minister of the day, while he attended to the application and expenditure of the money. The witness' memory was exceedingly poor, and he frequently declared he had forgotten much of what had been attributed to him by other witnesses, but he never ventured to dispute any of the statements they had made before the Committee. He said the practice of paying Secret Service money had first been for the Finance Minister to draw money whenever it was required and keep it in a cash box from which payments were made in order that no names might appear and nobody be compromised. It was changed, however to the plan of having cheques cashed at the bank when signed by one or more of the Ministry, who were a sub-committee appointed for the purpose. Witness and the Finance Minister had an understanding upon which they signed each other's names to the cheques, It was also agreed that when money was transferred from the department to the account in the bank it was to be considered as expended. With reference to the closing of the account in 1875 the witness said that Drummond had several times called his attention to its unsettled state, but was informed that there was an outstanding claim yet to be arranged. When, in 1875, the witness proceeded to close the account, Drummond objected unless he had sufficient authority, as he might get into trouble with the Government. Sir John told him that would be all right, for he would see the Auditor. He did see Mr. Langton and gave him a memorandum upon which he acted. He afterwards gave his cheques and closed the account. Earlier in the examination witness declared that an ex-Minister had no control over the secret service moneys, and gave Mr. Macdougall as an illustration; but at this point he as stoutly declared he had a right to draw the two cheques, because he and his colleagues had become responsible for a certain claim. He contended that in all fairness he had control of that sum of money, and was entitled to hold it until he was relieved from responsibility. He said when he drew the $6,600 he transferred it to his private bank account in Toronto, and did not pay any of it away until after he had seen Mr. Mackenzie, who protested against his action and demanded a full explanation. In the summer following the transfer he paid $6,000 to Senator Campbell. The $600 had not yet been paid to Dr. Tupper, who had advanced the sum years ago, but Sir John stated he could get it whenever he wanted it.

"Mr. Blake, who conducted the examination with great fairness and ability, suggested that the Committee adjourn until Tuesday, in order to have the whole of the printed evidence before it, which was agreed to."

—The Kingston "News" says: "We understand that the Northern Transportation Company's steamers will call here next season. This is a splendid line of boats and no doubt it will pay them to run."

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In a variety of Fabrics and Fashionable Colors.

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Particular attention paid to the Restaurant Department.

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March 17, 1877. 1w

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. E. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

COAL! COAL! COAL!

FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

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Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

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And those who are preparing

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17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

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F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Mar. 14t, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to [illegible]

HAINES & LOCKET.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND UNK ME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ...	6.50 a m
Express, ...	6:10 p m
4	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ...	12:05 p m
3 Express, ...	12.22 a m
xed, ...	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at., ...	2 p m
" Trenton at..	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. And those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 23.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

THE CELLS.—There were seven prisoners and only one tramp in the cells last night.

THE TOWN HALL.—The attendance at the Town Hall last night was very large and Lord Cecil's remarks were very intently listened to.

DUNKIN.—An effort is to be made to quash the Dunkin by-law recently passed in the Country of Frontenac.

APPOINTMENT.—A post office has been established at Gordon's Mills with Mr. Peter Forde Post Master.

PERSONALS.—Rev. Mr. Wishart of Madoc lectured in Kingston on Wednesday evening. Rev. Mr. Bone is here in the interestf of the Welland Canal mission

ADVICE.—To those who attend parties or are out late at night we would recommend blue glass, as it acts powerfully on the surface of the brain.

OBITUARY.—William Burr, one of the oldest and wealthiest inhabitants of the County of Prince Edward, died suddenly at his residence, in the Township of Hillier, on Monday last.

AN IMPROVEMENT.—The village Council of Brighton have decided to build a new Town Hall and already measures for its erection have commenced.

REV. MR. CRAFTS.—This talented gentleman held forth in the Metropolitan Hall last night to a fair house. His discourse was one of rare interest, and greatly pleased all present.

NAPANEE ASSIZES.—There are eleven civil cases on the docket of the Napanee Assizes four of which are for seduction. There are no criminal cases.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

TRENTON.—Building prospects in Trenton are very favorable as contracts for the erection of a number of places have been let, This speaks well for the enterprise of the people of the village.

Every one speaks well of it, and those who have been there once patronise the place ever afterwards. It is necessary to add that we refer to the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. ?

ACCIDENT.—On Friday of last week a little daughter of Rev. Mrs Lind of Trenton was very severly injured by falling under a stick of timber upon which she had been riding whilst it was being drawn to the village.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.—Mrs. Mulvany of the Carrying place took an overdose of chloroform one day last week and narrowly escaped death therefrom. The unremitting attention of a physician alone saved her.

WHAT'S IN A NAME.—Edward Matthews stole a coat; ran away to Kingston, and was captured and brought home by our Chief of Police. Now a man of the same name who lives in Kingston says he didn't do it. Singular isn't it.

STILL ABSENT.—That harbinger of Spring, the "nasty organ grinder man," has failed to put in an appearance, and the only reasonable excuse in his favor is that the atmosphere is not favorable.

SPRING.—Those people who are beginning to count the number of days before the 1st of April and speculate about the weather, should be reminded that one of the heaviest snow storms of last season took place on the 29th of March.

LAID OVER.—The case of Cooley vs Weller has again been laid over, owing to the inability of the jury to agree. The matter came up before a judge once before and a decision was given in favor of the plaintiff. The dispute hangs on the alleged altering of a receipt.

A FEAST.—Those who have a taste for being lectured had ample opportunity for making a choice last evening, as there were three separate and distinct attractions on that occasion. The admission to two of them was free, and as the fare to the other was 25cts., of course the latter had the lightest audience.

LEGAL.—In the Chancery Court in Toronto yesterday before V. C. Proudfoot in the case of the G. J. R. vs. Lloyd:—Moss moved for an injunction to restrain defendants from acting as directors of the Grand Junction railway and from holding meetings. Injunction granted till Tuesday next on usual terms.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.—The police are determined to enforce the provisions of the snow by-law and have summoned a large number of offenders to appear at the Police Court and show cause why they should not be mulct in damages for non-compliance with that useful ordinance. A number of cases were heard to-day and several more are set down for tomorrow.

CORRECTION.—In our report of the case of Jordan vs. Grand Junction Railway Co. tried at the Assizes, we stated that Defts. were allowed to move a non suit. It should have read that "the Defts. were allowed leave to move for a non suit during term." Mr. Keefer's evidence in the same case, which so materially strengthened the case for the Plff., we did not get, as our reporter was not present when Mr. Keefer was sworn.

WELL, WELL.—Kingston had another fire yesterday afternoon, but the flames were checked before any amount of damage was done. The loss is about $100, which is covered by insurance. That place is evidently bound to keep up its reputation, and all it wants now is the presence of the Oswego fire prophet.

DROWNED.—William Hughes and his team of horses were drowned to-day near Salmon Point, a short distance from Shannonville.

MEASURES.—If the law regarding "measures" was rigidly enforced in this town the tinsmiths would do a better trade. The Inspector of Measures in Kingston has seized a quantity of wine measures, and now thinks of starting a second-hand store in order to dispose of them to the unsuspecting agriculturist.

GOOD ENOUGH.—A farmer who was bringing a load of wood to Trenton got in a mix when about to cross the track of the G. T. R. near the village station as the horses were unable to pull the load from the rails. And the country man therefore detached the horses and left the sleigh and the load of wood to be knocked into smithereens.

TEMPERANCE.—A large and influential temperance meeting was held in Tweed on Wednesday evening to discuss the propriety of petitioning the County Council of the County of Hastings to submit the Dunkin by-law to the electors. A Committee was appointed to correspond with all temperance organizations in the county, inviting them to hold meetings for the same purpose.

NEWSPAPER WRAPPERS.—The Government has caused to be issued wrappers for newspapers, periodicals, &c., with a one cent stamp printed on the right hand corner. The stamp is oval in form and blue in color. In the centre of the oval is an engraving of the Queen's head, and surrounding it are the words: "Canada Postage—one cent." The wrapper is twelve inches in length by five in width, and has a well gummed edge. They will prove a great convenience, and no doubt become universally used.

KILLED BY THE CARS.—John Darcey, a young lad was accidently killed at the depot here yesterday. He in company with seven others were playing "hookey" and had jumped on a train which was coming in to the depot about three o'clock in the afternoon. When near the station, all jumped off on a pile of coal but Darcey struck a very insecure footing and rolled down on the track his body was cut to pieces and strewn along the rails. An inquest was held by Coroner J. P. Macdonnell and the jury after hearing the evidence returned a verdict to the effect that. "That John Darcey was accidentally killed by carelessly jumping off the tie-train at the depot and that no blame is attributable to the employees or the G. T. R." Deceased was an orphan and had been adopted by Mr. J. Conley.

THE JAIL.—We visited the jail on Wednesday and were much pleased with the improvements that have taken place there lately. All the corridors have been painted, and the walls of the cells have also been painted four feet from the floor, giving the dormitories a clean and neat appearance. New furniture has also been ordered, so that our County Jail will be second to none in the Province. Everything, in fact, is in perfect order and reflects the highest credit on the officials. Mr. Langmuir, the Inspector, on his visit was very much pleased with the condition of the jail, and expressed his approbation of the manner in which the institution was conducted. Mr. Gilbert, the Turnkey, informed us that there were 17 male and 5 female prisoners.

"DUBLIN AND HER MONUMENTS."—A small audience assembled in the Temperance Hall of the Holy Cross Association last evening to listen to the lecture by Captain Kirwan on the above subject. The chair was occupied by Rev. Mr. Farrelly, who in an appropriate speech introduced the lecturer. In opening he spoke of the love of home so characteristic of the Irish race, and the beauty and grandeur of Dublin Bay, which he compared with the Bay of Naples, and then went on to his subject. The first, noted, was the statue of "Hope" on the Custom House, an object which attracts the eye of the stranger as he enters the city. A brief sketch of the early history and progress of Dublin was next given after which the statues which adorn the thoroughfares of the city were named and described; those in whose honor they were erected having their careers illustrated and depicted in a brief though lucid manner. Captain Kirwan closed his lecture with a few remarks on "Home Rule," after which a vote of thanks was tendered him.

Police Court.

(Before A DIAMOND, Esq, P. M.)

FRIDAY, March 23rd.

DRUNK.

Mary Commerford, Nancy Johnson, Jas. Thompson and Albert Taft made their first appearance at this court to-day and were dismissed.

LARCENY.

William Winden charged with the larceny of a can of oysters from J. S. Crothers was sent to jail for a week.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.

George Bull, Jacob Cronk, Dr. Curlett, Dr. Burdett, A. G. Green, Dr. Potts, Dr. Lister and Robert Vair were charged with failing to comply with the provisions of the snow By law. Dr. Potts was dismissed. Dr. Lister was fined $5 and costs. Vair's case was dismissed and others laid over till Monday.

ANOTHER VICTORY.

"The work goes bravely on." Kamouraska has been redeemed, South Brant is impregnable and the Grits were victorious at a Wingham Curling match. In this last conflict the poll stood at the close:—Grits, 28; Tories, 16. Let us have a torch-light procession, and banners and music.

MORE ABOUT THE TICHBORNE CLAIMANT.

"Bogle is dead, and with his last words confessed his master, and died with poor Tichborne's name on his lips." So says Dr. Kenealy's paper the "Englishman." It appears that the poor old negro was greatly crippled with rheumatism before his death. Lady Radcliffe—Kate Doughty—was kind enough to allow Bogle 15s. a week, in spite of the injury which he helped to do her family. Probably she believed that, if mistaken, he was honest, and did not wish him to suffer. He was visited on his death-bed by Captain Morrison, and maintained to the end his belief that the Dartmoor convict is Sir Roger, and not Arthur Orton. The Englishman affirms that the late eminent surgeon, Sir William Fergusson, also adhered to the same opinion to the end of his life.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

COMMISSIONER APPOINTED.

BOSTON, March 23—Senator Kellogg of Berkshire, has been appointed a member from the U. S., of the Canadian Fisheries Commission.

ANOTHER DUEL.

VERSAILLES, Ohio, March 23.—A livery man named Williams, insulted a lady here and James Hathaway, editor of the *Independent* gave the facts publicity. Williams sought Hathaway, who then formerly challenged the livery man to a duel. Arrangements were made for an early meeting.

BRIGHAM DECLARES HIS INNOCENCE.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Brigham Young telegraphs to the *Herald*, saying:—"If Lee has made a statement in his confession implicating me it is utterly false. My course of life is too well known by thousands of honorable men for them to believe for one minute such an accusation."

IDLENESS AND SUFFERING.

The *Herald's* Pottsville, special reports 400 collieries and 60,000 miners idle with great suffering.

A COLD RECEPTION.

The *World's* New Orleans special says:—The Louisiana Commission will receive a cold reception.

WASHINGTON DESPATCHES.

Washington specials are as follows:—The *Herald* reports a person who has access to the best means of information, said to-night, if the country will only have patience for four or five days all will be right. He who spoke thus, believes that Hampton and Nicholls ought to rule.

The *World* says the people of Bristol Pa., elected by 92 popular majority a man named Baker for Post-Master. He was at once appointed.

The *Times* says Brown of Tennesee of the Louisiana Commission was Major-General in the Confederate army, and a Tilden delegate to the St. Louis Convention.

The *Tribune* says at yesterday's Cabinet meeting it was decided to withdraw troops from Columbia State House and to summon Chamberlain and Hampton to Washington for a conference.

The Washington Monument Commission report the monument cannot be completed according to original design, because of insecurity of the foundation.

GAMBLING IN HIGH LIFE.

NEW YORK, March 23.—James Thomas and others were arrested charged with keeping the magnificient gambling apartments of Barclay St, Among frequenters of the Club announced as witnesses is Cornelius J. Vanderbuilt.

OAKEY HALL'S DISAPPEARANCE.

The *World* publishes a statement that Oakey Hall, the night of his disappearance, had been called to look up witnesses in Brooklyn slums. It suggests murder.

It is rumored that the A. T. Stewart home for working women will be made into a hospital for incurables.

A PREACHER IN TROUBLE

Rev. Mr. McCaffory, pastor of the church of our Saviour, is charged by a married lady a member of the congregation, with kissing her, and with improper conduct. The lady's husband and McCaffory had a dispute last evening and were arrested.

Wallace E. Caldwell, stock-broker, died suddenly in a Broker's office yesterday. He was usher at the Beecher trial.

NEW STEAMER.

The new Hudson River steamer, *City of Troy*, costing a quarter of a million dollars was launched at Green Point yesterday, amid great demonstration.

THE RUSSIAN FLEET.

The war steamers Svetland, Bogatia and Askold, anchored outside the bar this a.m.

EUROPEAN.

THE DIRECT CABLE CO.

LONDON, March 23.—The following appears in the *Times* city article to-day:—The Chairman of the Direct U. S. Cable Co., Mr. E. H. Lushington, has issued a circular announcing the resignation of the board. They will hold office until the next annual meeting. In taking this step the directors seem to be merely yielding to the necessities of their position. The policy which they pursued, has been defeated, and in accord with the rival Company will be to all appearances brought about in spite of them. It would seem, however, that although thus resigning, because defeated, they are willing to reverse their policy now at the shareholders' bidding. This, at least, is what we gather from the following passage in the circular:—"Mr. Pender's majority has altered the Company's position by abandoning the intention, at least for the present, of obtaining a second cable, and in preference to this consolidating and developing the original policy of the Company to form a working arrangement with the Anglo-American Company. The board, seeing that a second cable is at present quite hopeless, have seconded a resolution to the effect that they would support Mr. Pender's Committee in such a course, which they readily admit may also lead to a prosperous future, provided all legal difficulties could be got over, and provided satisfactory terms could be offered to the Co., with due regard to the now well established value of its property."

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

MANUFACTORY CLOSED.

BOSTON, March 23rd.—The New England Glass Company, of East Cambridge, one of the largest in New England, has voted to wind up its business being unable to compete with Southern and Western concerns. Two hundred men are left unemployed.

AN EXPLOSION.

BOSTON, March 23.—The still of the Boston Dye Works and Chemical Co., at East Boston, exploded to-day badly scalding four men; two fatally. The building was demolished.

THE TROUBLES IN THE SOUTH.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—To-day, letters which received the approval of the Cabinet were sent to Hampton and Chamberlain, stating the desire of the President to confer with them personally in regard to South Carolina affairs.

A BOLD MURDER.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., March 23—Nick Crenshaw caused the separation of Henry Cathey from his wife a year ago. Last night Cathey called Crenshaw to his door and shot him dead. He surrendered himself.

SWEENY'S TRIAL.

NEW YORK, March, 23.—Judge Westbrook has granted an adjournment of the trial of P. B. Sweeny till the first Monday in June to suit the convenience of the defendant's counsel but on conditions, one being that they consented to waive the present struck jury.

EUROPEAN.

ON THE MOVE.

LONDON, March 23.—The Prince and Princess of Wales leave to-morrow for the Mediterranean.

NEWS FROM PRUSSIA.

A Berlin special about the celebration of the Emperor William's 80th birthday yesterday says:—"Some of the more advanced newspapers couple loyal greetings with the wish that the Emperor may witness a speedy recovery of the nation from the melancholy effects of the present commercial and financial crisis." The correspondent adds: "It is unfortunately too true that the depression of trade has assumed serious proportions."

THE RINDERPEST.

Another outbreak of the rinderpest has occurred at Hull.

CANADIANS IN CALIFORNIA.

A meeting of the Canadian residents of San Francisco, was held a couple of weeks ago for the purpose of organizing a Club. The meeting was called to order by Donald Robb, who acted as Chairman, and W. J. Gilliland was appointed as Secretary. The Chairman explained the object of the proposed organization to be to cultivate a friendly regard among the Canadians, regardless of Province or party; to establish a bureau for the collection and dissemination of information about lands and labor for their benefit, and for such other purposes as will naturally come within the province of the society. Forty names were attached to the roll of membership. Robert W. Good, R. S. Falconer, J. Kippen, John M. Connolly and Robb were appointed a Committee on Permanent Organization. The assemblage was an earnest and enthusiastic one, and though the majority of those present were apparently strangers, harmony and good feeling prevailed.

Specialties.

—How fashion repeats itself. Our first parents appeared in buff, and yellow is now the fashionable color.

—Punctuation was first used in literature in 1520. Before that time the wordsandsentenceswereputtogether like this.

—A babe is a mother's anchor—she cannot swing far from her moorings.

—A man's dearest object should be his wife, but, alas! sometimes it is his wife's wardrobe.

—Do you observe any similarity between Vennor's Almanac and himself? Yes, they are both weather *profits* and frequently *sold*.

—Delaware peach growers are buoyant over the prospects of an unusually large peach crop this year. It is estimated by some that the crop will amount to 12,000 baskets, which will average straight through ten cents per basket.

This and That.

—One hundred deaths from small-pox occurred in London, Eng., last week.

—In several places the cricket clubs have been organized for the coming season.

—Work has been commenced on a new hotel in Kingston.

Arrangements have been concluded for a grand "Bal Masque," to be held in St. Catharines on the 6th proximo.

Mr. F. Culham, of the Township of Beverly, has received a patient from the Canadian Government for a railway semaphore signal.

A meeting of carpenters and joiners to consider the rate of wages for the ensuing season is called for Friday next in Kingston.

—A grand concert and ball will be held in Guelph on April 4th, under the auspices of the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society of that town.

—An Odessa telegram states that an English steamer, with arms and ammunition from New Haven for Constantinople, has been lost.

—In the Prussian Reichstag yesterday the Bill fixing Leipsig as the seat of the Imperial Court of Germany was adopted.

—An earthquake visited Kingston, Jamaica, on Monday, causing great alarm, but no damage.

—At a large and enthusiastic meeting on Monday in Dresden, resolutions were passed pledging a bonus of $25,000, and the united support of the village, to the Erie and Huron Railway.

—Mr. John Bickley has resigned the Presidency of the Emerald Beneficial Association, of Guelph. His resignation was accepted, and Mr. Matthew Cheavers was elected in his stead.

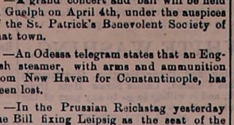
Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

BELLEVILLE, March 23.

Greenbacks buying at...	94¼ to 94¾
" selling at...	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at......	45
British Silver...	15
Sterling exchange	184¼

Gold opened at 104¾; closed at 104¾.

Sprains, Splints, Bruises, Lameness in Horses; GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA is a perfect specific. No person who owns a horse should be without it. M. RODENS, 569 Seventh Avenue, New York.



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Yours truly, J. L. MITCHELL.

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This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

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it is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETOR. $2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale by all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D., Bible House, New York City. 3tawd&w6m

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Since starting in Belleville we have adhered as closely as possible to a CASH BASIS, and have found it ADVANTAGEOUS in many respects.

Our OBJECT has been to give our customers goods at the LOWEST POSSIBLE COST and have a small margin of PROFITS to live on. To carry out this plan SUCCESSFULLY it is absolutely necessary that RETURNS should be PROMPT. Our Capital is not sufficiently large to allow a greater share of it to be made USELESS by outstanding accounts. We need EVERY DOLLAR properly INVESTED, and furnishing QUICK RETURNS.

By adopting a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, we shall be able to SELL OUR GOODS at a figure ensuring those who buy such ADVANTAGES as would be impossible under the CREDIT SYSTEM.

We have largely INCREASED our STOCK, and with improved facilities for MANUFACTURING will promise our customers every satisfaction in return for their MONEY.

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Belleville, March 15, 1877.

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I am also prepared to MAKE TO ORDER

Little Boys, and Girls, Suits.

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CITY OF MONTREAL ..	Saturday, Apr. 7, 12:30 p.m
CITY OF RICHMOND ..	Saturday, Apr. 14, 3 p.m,
CITY OF BRUSSELS ..	Saturday, Apr. 21, at noon

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March 7, 1877. 350 Front Street.

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FURS AT MANUFACTURERS COST!

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FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS

Belleville, March 7th, 1877.

tons upon the blackboard of correct and incorrect formation.

On the last school day of each week the pupils should be called upon to prepare a line of each copy, word and figure practiced on the previous day, and from these copies and the merit marks of the week the monitors for the next week may be appointed.

This method may after a time be combined with the spelling exercise, and errors in both writing and orthography noted in the same exercise, using a distinct mark to indicate each.

As soon as they have been taught to form all the letters and combine them into words, short sentences should follow, and the child may thus be taught to write before the pen and ink is introduced at all.

The pupils should early learn to set a value upon the neatness and graceful appearance of all the forms they write. Figures, being of equal importance with letters, should also be given special attention.

The objections made to the use of the pen and ink by small children is, that they are apt to blot and deface their books and injure clothing and furniture. I would, however, advise the introduction of the pen and paper as soon as the pupil has made sufficient progress to use them with any degree of proficiency.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

WEDNESDAY, March, 21 1877.

The afternoon siting of the House was mostly taken up with notice of motion and matters of limited interest.

After recess a few private Bills were disposed of including the Dominion Grange Incorporation Bill.

MR. BUNSTER's Bill for the better protection of life in Coal mines in British Columbia was taken up.

MR. BLAKE pointed out the practical difficulties in the way of passing the Bill and suggested its withdrawal.

After some further discussion the Bill was withdrawn.

MR. GUNTER moved the second reading of the Bill relating to larceny and applicable to the public officers of Courts who withhold moneys held by them in trust for the public.

The Bill was read a second time and referred to a Select Committee of legal members.

The adjourned debate on Mr. Casey's Civil Service resolution was then resumed by Mr. Mitchell, who lauded his own Departmental achievements, and while agreeing to the Committee being appointed, challenged some of the mover.

MR. MCDOUGAL (Renfrew), in a careful speech, defended the proposition and the need for a change in the present system.

MR. CARTWRIGHT referred to the considerable improvements that had taken place in the Civil Service salaries of late years; and in answer to Mr. Mitchell, pointed out that after professing to charge the Government with increasing the expenditure, appeals for further addition came with a bad grace from the Opposition.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Aylmer, Jones (Leeds), Carmeron, Currier, Workman, Smith (Selkirk), and others.

After a reply from Mr. Casey, the motion was agreed to, and the Committe struck accordingly.

MR. COOK moved his Election Law amendment Bill, the object of which was to prevent rauds, to which he alleged the ballot as now used was open.

MR. BLAKE admitted that there were a difficulty and danger to be guarded against of the kind indicated, but did not see his way to piecemeal, amendments of the Election Law. He advised the withdrawal of the Bill, which was done, and the House adjourned.

CHIT-CHAT FOR THE LADIES.

The new round hats are very small.

The spring colors are gray, drab, and brown.

Lace scarfs for bonnet strings grow in favor.

Trailing skirts are more lengthy than last season.

A Columbia girl has a pet calf and now her lover steers clear of her.

Red, white, and blue blunting will be used for both dresses and trimmings next summer.

Stout women with broad backs are recommended to wear basques and polonaises, with many seams.

At a masquerade the girls put pebbles in their mouth to alter their voices. The men put cloves in theirs.

A journal edited exclusively by women has been brought out at Lyons, France. It is called the Volcano.

Humming-bird jewelry, made entirely from the feathers of these little creatures, is sought for in Paris.

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SLATE-ROOFER, plain and ornamental plasterer, &c. Centre pieces made to order. Thirty years experience. Reference, Hon. Robert Read, Mr. W. E. Holton, Marchmont, Rev. Mr. Bird.

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All work warranted or no pay.

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ONE CASE OF
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In Gilt Letters
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BUY YOUR WIFE
ONE OF THE
EUREKA
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SPICED ROLLED BACON,
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Feb. 1st, 1877.

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A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, Stable, Out-Buildings, &c., all in good repair. Also large Garden, situated two and a half miles from Belleville, next lot to Cemetery.
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Nothing is so destructive to health, and the disarrangement of the human system, as drinking Impure Water. It is one great cause of all diseases the human frame is liable to. The Jewell Filter will effectually purify Rain, River, Pond, or Canal Water, making the most IMPURE WATER WHOLESOME and SWEET.
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THE Partnership her efore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of W. & J. W. Johnson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the late firm will be paid by Wm. Johnson, and all debts due to the late firm are to be paid to him.
WM. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. JOHNSON,
WITNESS—W. J. DIAMOND.
Belleville, 24th Feb., 1877.

NOTICE.
The business heretofore carried on by W. & J. W. Johnson will in future be conducted by Wm Johnson, under the name of Wm. Johnson & Co. d&wtf

NOTICE
T. WALTERS,
RESPECTFULLY notifies all parties indebted to him to pay their accounts on or before the
FIRST OF APRIL, 1877
If not settled by that date they will be put in Court for collection. Justice to himself and to others compels him to take this course.
Belleville, March 10, 1877, [d2w-4tw

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THE "MINIMUM" System of Assurance has just been adopted by this Company, where
By a Partial Application of the Profits
Rates of Premium are charged
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The following are the rates for Assurance of each $1,000, with profits upon the system referred to.

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23	13 50	29	16 90	35	20 40	41	25 60	47	31 60	53	41 70
24	14 00	30	17 50	36	21 10	42	26 50	48	32 70	54	44 00
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Chief Agents for the Dominion,
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MEDALS,
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And a very large lot Just Arrived per Steamships "Sardinian" and "Peruvian," which wil be in and opened in a few days, at
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UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,
Sail every Saturday from
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RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency
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STEERAGE always as low as by any other n
The Passenger accommodations of Anchor Steamers are unsurpassed for elegance and comfort
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BEST AMERICAN GOODS,
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FURNITURE
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ALL STYLES
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FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,
Every Kind of Fish in Season,
From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
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—FOR—
Rheumatism, Neuralia, Gout,
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Stiffness in Limbs or Joints, Sprains, Frostbites, Chilblains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Wandering Pains, &c, &c., &c.,
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HALF BARRELS,
OR IN KEGS.
All Orders Promptly Supplied
JAMES ROY.
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VOLUME VII. BELLEVILLE, ONT., SATURDAY! MARCH 24, 1877. NUMBER 310

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Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
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FOR want of room, Wm. Dickens & Sons will remove to
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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
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All orders he may be favored with will receive prompt and careful attention, and be delivered
At Lowest Reasonable Rates.
And he hopes to be able to show that there is no necessity for going out of Town for anything of the Confectioner's art.
WEDDING CAKES,
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TURKEYS BONED, DRESSED AND JELLIED
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MADE TO ORDER.
A NEW THING.
COCOA-NUT MACAROONS.
BREAD.
A thoroughly pure and well baked article, fresh every morning.
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BIG COAL HOUSE
MR. WM. JOHNSTON
IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst.
Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.
Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
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IMPERIAL MEASURES
OF
Best Make and Material
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STOVES
OF ALL KINDS,
CHEAPER FOR CASH!
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Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.
Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be
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NEW SPRING STOCK!
—OF—
BOOTS AND SHOES,
JUST RECEIVED
AT THE KINGSTON
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CONSISTING OF
GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S
Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.
We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of
Gents' Walking BOOTS,
Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.
ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,
All of which will be sold Cheap for Cash.
No. 367 FRONT STREET.
Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
Mar. 14th, 1877.

MURDER AND SUICIDE
The Malicious Report of the
DEATH AND BURIAL
—OF—
CHEAP JOHN!
Is Entirely False. He has settled with his Creditors, is
AGAIN IN THE FIELD,
AND WILL
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Against High Prices!
At his OLD STAND, in ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, (next door to his old Red Front Store), where will be found the most complete assortment of
GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
CROCKERY, &c.,
AT PRICES
THAT DEFY COMPETITION.
He has made large additions to his stock, and as he has purchased entirely for Cash, he is enabled to sell at Prices LOWER THAN EVER.
GROCERIES:
SUGAR, 13 lbs. for $1.00; Rice 4c per lb.; Currants 7c per lb.; Coffee 18c per lb; Good Japan Tea 20c per lb, Barley 4c per lb; Raisins 8c per lb; Sardines 12c per box; Canned Fruit 15c per can; Choice Pickles 15c per bottle; Tobacco 30c per lb; Cigars $15 per 1,000; Choice Syrups 40c to 70c per gal, Soap at almost nothing
DRY GOODS:
UNDERCLOTHING 25 Cents; Printed Calicos 5c per yard, Steamloom 5c per yard; Wincey 8c per yard; Lustres 13c per yd; Prints 5c per yd; Coates' Spool Cotton 3c per Spool; Pins 3c per paper; Flannels 18c per yard; Fine White Shirts 75c each; Hose 5c per pair; Paramatta Shawls $1 each; All Wool Shawls $2.25.
Ready-Made Clothing
ALL PRICES. Men's Complete Suits for $4; Boy's Complete Suits $2.50; Hats and Caps almost given away.
BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, &c., at ruinously Low Prices.
CROCKERY. A large assortment at less than half the usual prices.
TERMS CASH, and No Second Price
Remember the New Store, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK, next door to the RED FRONT STORE, where
CHEAP JOHN
IS HIMSELF AGAIN.
Belleville, March 14, 1877.

SELF RAISING
BUCK WHEAT
FLOUR.
No Yeast or Baking Powder Required.
DIRECTIONS FOR USE.
PANCAKES.—Take as much Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour as is required for the occasion—add gradually, cold water or milk to make a soft batter. Then BAKE AT ONCE.
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A supply just received.
GEORGE WALLBRIDGE
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FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
AND
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AT
THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.
Call at once for Bargains.
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FISH! FISH!!
FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE,
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Feb, 12th, 1877

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CLOTHING STORE.
C. E. PEIRCE
BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.
BARTMAN & SINTZEL
in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of
BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,
AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,
All bought especially for this trade.
As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.
PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.
BARTMAN & SINTZEL,
311 Front St.
March 12, 1877.

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MARBLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle Street, Show rooms and office, corner Lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER.
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

FRESH FISH!
FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
DIAMOND BRAND
OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

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Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.
Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.
March 2, '77, tf

PAPA, WHAT IS A NEWSPAPER, AND WHAT DOES IT CONTAIN.

Organs that gentlemen play, my boy,
To answer the taste of the day my boy,
Whatever it be,
They hit on the key,
And pipe in full concert, away, my boy,

News from all countries and climes, my boy,
Advertisements, essays, and rhymes, my boy,
Mixed up with all sorts
Of flying reports,
And published at regular times, my boy,

Statistics, reflections, reviews, my boy,
Little scraps to instruct and amuse, my boy,
And lengthy debate
Upon matters of State,
For wise-headed folks to peruse my boy.

The funds as they were and they are, my boy,
The quibbles and quirks of the bar my boy,
And every week
A clever critique
On some rising theatrical star my boy.

The age of Jupiter's moons, my boy,
The stealing of somebody's spoons, my boy,
The state of crops,
The style of fops,
And the wit of the public buffoons, my boy.

List of all physical ills, my boy,
Banished by somebody's pills my boy,
Till you ask with surprise,
Why any one does,
Or what's the disorder that kills, my boy.

Who has got married to whom, my boy,
Who were cut off in their bloom, my boy,
Who has had birth
On the sorrow-stained earth,
And who totters fast to the tomb, my boy.

The price of cattle and grain, my boy,
Directions to dig and to drain, my boy,
But 'twould take me to long
To tell you in song
A quarter of all they contain, my boy.

FOILED.

"You love Captain Montford!" and Geraldine Rathborne dropped the book she had been reading, and looked at her cousin with flashing eyes.

"Yes, Geraldine, I never can tell you or anybody else how much I love George Montford," and Alice Caryl's fair face dropped lower over her needlework.

"How do you know Captain Montford loves you?"

"Because he has told me so," answered Alice, her head dropping still lower.

A silence fell between the cousins. Alice, stitched away in happy confusion, and Geraldine regarded her with an expression of countenance that said plainly:

"How I hate you!"

For a long time vain, beautiful Geraldine Rathborne in her secret heart loved Captain Montford. She had hoped the day would come when he would love her in return, but she knew not that she had loved and hoped in vain.

"Does your father know anything about this Alice?" asked Geraldine, softly, after a long pause.

"Oh, yes; I told not an hour ago."

"What did he say?" asked Geraldine eagerly.

"He stamped up and down, wouldn't listen to a word I said, told me I should marry my cousin Hosmer, and I could tell Captain Montford so the next time he called, or send the young scamp to him, and he would tell him without mincing matters. And he condescended to say that Captain Montford was a fine young fellow to pass away an evening; but to think of my marrying a man who had nothing but a captain's pay to depend upon—well, I must never think of it again. Now, isn't that encouraging for the future?" and Alice's laugh rang through the room, and she dropped her work and looked over at her cousin.

"You seem to make light of your father's decision, Alice."

"Geraldine, when did you ever know papa to give his consent the first time he was asked; and did you ever know him to refuse me anything in the long run?"

Geraldine did not answer at once. She knew that Alice was right. She knew that her unstable old uncle always gave in to his idolized daughter in the long run.

For some minutes Geraldine was silent. She was studying the situation—thinking out how best she could avenge herself on her lovely cousin for robbing her of the man she loved.

"Alice, I think you are mistaken in your father this time," said Geraldine deliberately.

Alice looked up quickly, and her cheeks grew a trifle paler.

"Why do you think so?" she asked.

"Because his heart is set on your marriage with Hosmer.

"A few minutes of my teasing will cure him of that."

"But supposing it doesn't?"

"Oh, it is too disagreeable to suppose."

"But you must look this matter in the face, Alice. Just so sure as you are sitting there, your father will never consent to your marrying George Montford."

"Oh, Geraldine!"

"I speak from conviction; and now I ask you, what are you going to do when you find out that you can never gain your father's consent."

"Oh, I do not know. I cannot give up George Montford, and I cannot marry him without my father's consent."

"But you must marry without his consent, or else give up Captain Montford."

"I will wait a reasonable time for papa to consider this matter, and then——"

"And then you will marry Captain Montford whether my uncle gives his consent or not."

"I didn't say so, Geraldine. It will take me some time to make up my mind to act in opposition to my father's will."

"But that's what you must do, Alice. That's what any sensible girl would do."

Alice rested her cheek on her palm, and a troubled, thoughtful look settled on her face.

"Geraldine," she said after a pause, "papa always talks common sense to you."

"Yes, Alice, and I was just going to say that if you will let me I will intercede for you and Captain Montford."

"Oh, Geraldine, I would be so grateful to you," said Alice.

"Then I will go and speak to him at once, and whatever he says to me, rest assured it will be his unalterable decision," and pressing a Judith kiss on Alice's brow Geraldine left the room.

The shades of evening were stealing into the room, and Alice put away her needle work, and clasping her hands she silently prayed for the success of Geraldine's mission.

While she was thus engaged, Captain Montford was announced. One look at the handsome young man, and we forgive Geraldine for falling in love with him. He was a perfect ideal of the dashing military officer.

"What ails my darling?" were his first words, for the lengthening shadows did not hide from his keen glance the look of trouble on Alice's face.

With his arm about her, Alice related the conversation she had with Geraldine, and told him that her cousin had gone to speak with her father.

Captain Montford frowned. In his mind, without having any good reason for so doing, he always associated Geraldine Rathborne with some beautiful snake, and he did not relish the idea of her interceding for him.

"Alice," he said thoughtfully, "I am sorry now that I took your advice. I ought to have spoken to your father last night."

"Oh, no, no!"

"Alice, allow me to be the best judge in this affair. I do not wish Geraldine's interference. I will go to your father at once."

Alice tried all her powers of persuasion, but Captain Montford was not to be persuaded when he made up his mind, and he started for the library, where Mr. Caryl was usually to be found.

As he approached the library door he heard Mr. Caryl say, in a voice suffocating with anger:

"If she is planning to deceive me, I will never forgive her."

"She is determined to marry him if you withold your consent, uncle; I tried to persuade her from it, but it was no use," said the voice of Geraldine in reply; and Captain Montford stood still, scarcely believing his own ears.

"I will tell her bright and early to-morrow morning that I will never consent to this marriage, and if she marries without my consent I will disinherit her, and every cent I am worth goes to you, Geraldine. Now leave me; let no one come near me to-night."

"I am sorry my words have made you so angry, uncle. I will go and use my influence with Alice."

Captain Montford had barely time to step into one of the rooms that opened on the landing, when Geraldine appeared, and passed down the stairs.

For a minute the captain stood. He determined to beard the furious old lion in his den, and the next minute found him in the presence of the gouty, quick-tempered old gentleman.

"Well, sir, who sent for you?" was the first salute the captain got, in anything but a gentle voice.

"Nobody sent for me, sir, but I have a knack of always being on hand at the right time. I was coming here to speak with you, sir, when I happened to overhear a part of your conversation with your niece. Mr. Caryl, Geraldine is deceiving you. Alice never thought of marrying without your consent, until her cousin put it into her head."

"What's that you say? Geraldine deceiving me?" roared the old gentleman.

"She is, sir. If you could walk softly down stairs with me now, and overhear your niece talking to your daughter, you may see through this affair as well as I do."

"Oh, Geraldine, what shall I do?" Alice was saying to her cousin [illegible] I will tell you. It is your duty, Alice, to marry Captain Montford. He is not marrying you for your money, and you are satisfied, you say, to live on a captain's pay. He is an honorable man, no one can find a blemish on his character [illegible] has no right to come between you——"

"I believe you're right—I do, upon my soul, Geraldine," cried Mr. Caryl, bursting into the room with all the speed his gouty toes would permit.

Geraldine screamed, and Alice trembled, half with joy, half with fear.

"I always knew the captain was a splendid fellow, and I have no right to come between them, only you put it in a little different light when you were talking to me up stairs. Alice, my dear, it's all right. I overheard Geraldine's conversation with you, and—George, come in here and speak to your future wife."

"Oh, papa, I knew it was only a matter of a little time—that you would give your consent!"

"Don't thank me, my dear—thank the captain. Where's Geraldine?" and Mr. Caryl's face grew purple.

Geraldine had stole from the room. Her attempt at revenge was foiled, and next day she left the house forever.

BOY'S WORK.

"I wish, John, you would drive a few nails for me in the wood-house," said Maggie to her brother. "I have been waiting for them this long time, but always forgot to ask you."

"Why not drive them yourself Maggie?" asked her father.

"Why, I don't know how, father. I don't believe I could do boy's work," she said doubtfully.

"Come, my girl, I will show you in a minute how it is done, Go on mending your harness John; we will attend to the nails."

Maggie drove in all the nails successfully, and so pleased was she with her success that she would have set a double row around the shed, I think, if her father had not concluded these would answer for the present.

"There, that little lesson helps to make you independent, my girl. Now I will teach you some day how to catch and harness-up a horse. You have already learned to drive a gentle one. Learn to sharpen a knife, and whittle, too, without cutting your fingers. Don't let the doors creak for want of an oiled feather, or the little children's boots get hard in the winter for the want of a little grease."

You, too, boys, might learn to advantage how to make your beds and sweep a room, and sew up a bag on a sewing machine.

Don't ask any one to sew on a button for you, when there hangs a cushion with needles in it, and mothers's thread basket is so handy.

A little cooking will never hurt you. Many a beefsteak and fresh fish have I Cooked in my day, and mother says I can beat any girl making a pot of coffee. I do not often get a chance, nowadays, but I have seen the time when my knowledge of the business came just in play. No telling where you will be cast away some time during your life. The most helpless people I have ever met are those who can only do one sort of work. Learn to do something very well indeed, and make that your dependence for a living, and add to it just as much skill and knowledge as you can. It costs nothing to carry knowledge.

—A ten year old son of Mr. F. X. Aubry had a fight with a son of Wilrod Belanger, Montreal. The son of the latter having got worsted the father rushed upon young Aubry and kicked him in the stomach. A doctor was called in to attend the lad, and it was found that the boy's stomach had swollen to an enormous extent.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 24.

DR. TUPPER has been priming himself for a final effort on the tariff question. He was expected to speak last night, but at the time of writing we have not learned the facts. His speech has been anxiously anticipated by the Opposition. From a protective stand-point, it will be an able one, undoubtedly.

IN view of the recent decision in the appeal in the case of Smiles vs. Belford, Senator Read will, on Monday, ask the Government whether it intends to take steps for the purpose of securing to the printing industries of this Dominion the full advantages of the provisions of the Act respecting copyright, passed in 1875.

THE tariff debate drags its weary length along. The Premier is anxious that an issue may be reached as soon as possible, but the Opposition are evidently determined to make it do good service in one respect—retarding the business before the House. Dr. Orton's agricultural amendment must be disposed of before the famous original is reached.

THE tariff debate terminated last night in three divisions, although Sir John announced that other amendments would be offered. Dr. Orton's agricultural amendment was defeated by a majority of 39; Sir John's buncombe ditto by 49, and the original motion, moved by the Finance Minister, was carried by a majority of 51.

THE London *Free Press* wants the tariff "adjusted" so as to remove the difficulties experienced by Canadian publishers. The facts are cited that while paper which enters into consumption from abroad pays 17½ per cent. duty, the books sent into Canada only pay 5 per cent. This, our contemporary argues, is a direct premium in favor of a removal of the book-printing industry to the United States. The argument is good, but how is the adjustment to be arranged? Certainly not in accordance with the National Policy, advocated by the party the *Free Press* supports.

MR. LAURIER, the brilliant young member for Athabasca, more than sustained his reputation as an orator during the tariff debate on Thursday. His speech, which was lengthy and argumentative, was listened to with much pleasure by the House. He must have exceeded the expectations of his most ardent admirers when the *Mail's* correspondent was compelled to write this:—He always receives the courtesy of the House, and seldom exceeds the bounds of debate; and his speech, elegant in point and fairness, full of sharp criticism, and abounding in passages of wit, was warmly applauded."

SECRET SERVICE AFFAIRS.

This [illegible] and we doubt whether much additional information will be obtained [illegible] Secret Service investigation has revealed little else than a criminal indifference to constituted authority on the part of Sir John, as the chief actor in the disgraceful drama. The whole enquiry may be reduced to one question, and that will admit of only one answer. The question is this: Had Sir John Macdonald any authority or right to keep a certain sum of the public money in his possession, and exercise his judgment in its distribution, after his resignation as leader of the Government and the installation of Mr. Mackenzie as his successor? There can be only one answer to this question, and that is in the negative. It appears from the evidence given that Mr. Drummond, when Sir John first mentioned the matter to him, had some doubts as to the legality of the proceedings, and intimated to the ex-Premier that, when the new Ministry was in power, perhaps it would be necessary to have some authority from "the powers that be" for the proposed arrangements. To this proposition Sir John demurred, declaring his intention to settle all claims, arising under the Secret Service department, that belonged to his administration of the Government, and for this purpose he would retain possession of the money deposited to his credit. Accepting the judgment of so eminent a statesman as final and irrevocable, he, Mr. Drummond, offered no further opposition, but acted as he was directed. In the same way the Auditor, Mr. Langton, seems to have acquiesced without dissention to whatever the ex-Premier suggested, and allowed $6,600 to be chequed out by the [illegible], and in direct contravention of the resolutions of the Public Accounts Committee of May 29th, 1872. Sir John's memory did not serve him very well, and he could not give details. He was in the habit, too, of trusting a large portion of the Secret Service transactions to the Finance Minister, Sir Francis Hincks, and did not burden his mind with particulars. Whenever Sir Francis wanted any of the money he used Sir John's name for necessary purposes, and *vice versa*. In short, the whole process of dealing with Secret Service funds, during Sir John's Administration, and subsequently, seems to have been conducted on the most indefinite principles possible. When Mr. Mackenzie came into power there was a considerable sum of unexpended balance of Secret Service money in the bank, but nothing whatever was said about it; and not until 1875 did Sir John mention the matter, when a demand was made for full particulars. Dr. Tupper and Senator Campbell were entitled to the $6,600, in consideration of services rendered of money advanced in some mysterious way, for some mysterious purposes. The latter has been paid—$6,000, but the Cumberland orator is still minus his $600. Truly this Secret Service affair is becoming interesting.

Editorial Notes.

BOYS in Montreal steal horses from hotel yards and endeavor to sell them to dealers.

THE annual meeting of the Northern Railway has been postponed to April 25th.

WILLIAM ANDERSON took a suit of clothes belonging to a fellow-boarder, and gets six months in the Central Prison.

MR. J. D. EDGAR offers a gold medal for the best essay read this year before the Toronto Literary Club.

THE annual examinations of the College of Physicians and Surgeons commence simultaneously at Toronto and Kingston on the 10th of April.

A PANIC occurred in the St. James Cathedral School House, Toronto, during one of Mr. Rainsford's Bible readings on Thursday evening. A few ladies were a little hurt and greatly scared.

MAYOR BEAUDRY has offered the amount of his yearly salary to the city of Montreal, in view of a general policy of retrenchment. It will not be accepted.

As Mr. Hague proceeds with the examination of the affairs of the Merchants' Bank, his convictions are that the affairs of the bank are better than generally believed.

MR. H. F. GARDINER, who has been a member of the London *Advertiser* staff for a year or two, is about leaving London for another sphere of labor. He was presented by his fellow-employees with a handsome locket, suitably inscribed. Mr. Gardiner has many warm friends in Belleville who feel an interest in his success.

THIS is Sir John's objection to Mr. Blake's Bill to make the carrying of pistols a punishable offence, and it is a good one:—"An orderly person in fear of being attacked could not arm himself, while the rowdy, who contemplated attacking him, could take advantage of his unarmed condition."

NORTHERN RAILWAY INVESTIGATION.

The Northern Railway Committee met yesterday morning and proceeded with the examination of Mr. Cumberland's private accounts. A number of items under the head of "Sundries" were examined, but nothing of interest transpired [illegible] remuneration, witness [illegible] and $400 commission [illegible] cent. interest the road paid yearly [illegible] holders of the 1st and 2nd preference [illegible]. Being asked how his account [illegible] he said that if he had a fair adjustment of it, he would, a few days ago, have had $1,200 to his credit. Under cross-examination he admitted that, in order to make that balance, he should not be charged with two notes amounting to $12,593, nor $8,000 paid by the Company for his interest in the Chicora. He said the notes had been given by him in acknowledgment of his expenses paid out of the Company's funds when he ran as a cadidate in Algoma and Cardwell. He believed the Company should not ask him to pay the notes, because he entered Parliament in the interests of the Railway, after the fashion of British railway companies, though he was unable to say that in their cases they paid the parliamentary expenses of their Presidents and Directors. He admitted that though some years (nearly ten in one instance) had passed since he had incurred these expenses, he had never sought any adjustment, nor asked to be relieved from the notes. His taking money from the Company to pay his expenses was done without the consent or knowledge of the Directors.

Mr. Guthrie then proceeded to take up the items of Parliamentary expenditure as connected with the promoting of a Northern Railway Bill in 1873, in April, May and June while Parliament was sitting. During that time six drafts were made in Ottawa and paid in Toronto. The sums were $1,000, $730, $750, $200, $500 and $2,000, in all $5,180. Of this $3,750 were drawn by J. B. Robinson, the President, who used the proceeds of the drafts evidently as he saw fit, because Mr. Cumberland declined to give the slightest information as to the expenditures, sheltering himself behind the assertion that he could not speak from personal knowledge, and the Committee had better ask Mr. Robinson himself. Mr. Robinson was then a Member of Parliament.

This exposure created great excitement, and the tory members endeavored to blunt its effects by rushing into irrelevant matter. After a stormy debate the Committee broke up in confusion and bad humor.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

Thursday, March, 22nd.

After disposing of some other business the House yesterday once more resumed the debate on the tariff resolutions—Mr. Mousseau being the first speaker. His speech was of a most thoroughly protectionist character, and fortified by extracts from American and other sources. He spoke for nearly three hours, resuming after recess.

Mr. LAURIER followed with one of the best speeches of the session. He ridiculed the indefiniteness of the amendments of the Opposition; showed that their so called national policy dwindled down to the proposal to tax the bread and fuel of the people; defended the present tariff as sufficiently protective even from a protectionist point of view, and exposed the inconsistency of a party that took credit on the one hand for obtaining the abolition of inordinate protection, and on the other demanded the a retaliatory tariff against the Americans. He went on to rally the members for Terrebonne and Bagot for the extraordinary doctrines they had given expression to, and made some excellent points against both.

Mr. DOMVILLE was put up to take off the effect of Mr. Laurier's effective speech, and talked for a long while on what came uppermost in his versatile mind.

Mr. THOMSON (Welland) followed, and spoke in the same sense as on some former occasion.

Mr. MCKAY WRIGHT recalled the debate to the point whence it started three weeks before, discussed the proposals of the Government in an adverse sense, and defended the Opposition from the charge of having no policy.

Dr. BROUSE then moved the adjournment of the debate, and at twelve o'clock the House rose.

CHARLEVOIX ELECTION.

RETURN OF MR. LANGEVIN.

QUEBEC, March 23.

The following are the latest returns received:—

	Maj. for Tremblay.	Maj. for Langevin.
Ste. Irene	64	—
Ste. Agnes	64	—
Murray Bay	49	—
Petite Riviere	6	—
St. Simon	26	—
Isle Aux Coudres	—	—
St. Paul's	—	28
Las Eboulements	—	116
St. Hilarion	—	20
St. Fidele	—	56
St. Wibain	—	116
	209	336

Isle Aux Coudres to hear from, which will reduce Langevin's majority.

MR. CARTWRIGHT'S POLICY.

THE GOVERNMENT'S ACTION VINDICATED.

LONDON OFFICE OF THE GLOBE, 55 Cheapside, E. C., March 23.

The "Times" to-day warmly praises Mr. Cartwright's policy of retrenchment. Discussing the Pacific Railroad it says:—"A suggestion was never made less worthy of respect than the immediate union of the Eastern States with British Columbia by means of a railway. If the Canadian Parliament has formally approved of the enterprise and pledged itself to the undertaking, still there would have been a perfect justification for the Dominion Government confessing itself, upon reconsideration, unable to fulfil the promise made. It would be necessary then to indemnify British Columbia against loss, and restore British Columbia to its previous position, and the fullest requirements of the strictest morality would be satisfied [illegible]

THE MOUNTAIN MEADOW MASSA[illegible]

[illegible] LEE.—HIS LAST CONFESSION.

SALT LAKE CITY, March 23.—John D. Lee was shot at Mountain Meadow at 11 o'clock.

SALT LAKE, Utah, March 23.—At 11 a. m. precisely John D. Lee was brought out upon the scene of the massacre at Mountain Meadow before the executing party and seated on his coffin about twenty feet from the shooters. After the order of the Court was read to him Marshal Nelson asked if ne had anything to say before execution was carried into effect. Lee said, "I wish to speak to that man," pointing to Mr. Fennemore, who was fixing his canvas near by to take Lee's photo. Lee, calling to the artist, said, "I want you to furnish my three wives each with a copy of the photograph, one to Rachael A., one to Sarah C. and one to Emma B." Lee repeated the names over again carefully, saying "please." Lee rose and said, "I have but little to say this morning. Of course I feel that I am upon the brink of eternity, and the solemnity of eternity should rest upon my mind at present. I have made out, or endeavored to do so, a manuscript and abridged history of my life. This will be published. Sir, I have given my views and feelings with regard to all these things. I feel resigned to my fate, I feel as calm as a summer morning. I have done nothing adversely or wrong. My conscience is clear before God and man, and I am ready to meet my Redeemer. This it is that places me upon the field. I am not an infidel; I have not denied God or His mercy. I am a thorough believer in those things. The most I regret is parting with my family. Many of these are unprotected and will be left fatherless. When I speak of these little ones they touch a tender chord within me." Here Lee's voice faltered perceptibly. "I have done nothing designedly wrong in this affair. I used my utmost endeavours to save the people. I would have given the world, were it at my command, to have avoided that calamity, but I could not. I am sacrificed to satisfy feelings and am used to gratify parties, but I am ready to die; I have no fear; death has no terror, and no particle of mercy have I asked from the Court or officials. I shall never go to a worse place than the one I am now in. I have said it to my family, and I will say it to-day, that the Government of the United States sacrifices their best friend, and that is saying a great deal, but it is true. I am a true believer in the Gospel of Jesus Christ. I do not believe everything that is now practised and taught by Brigham Young. I do not agree with him. I believe he is leading the people astray, but I believe in the Gospel as taught in its purity by Joseph Smith in former days. I have my reasons for saying this. I used to make this man's will my pleasure, and did so for thirty years. See now what I have come to this day. I have been sacrificed in a cowardly, dastardly manner. There are thousands of people, in the Church, honorable, good-hearted people, whom I cherish in my heart. I regret to leave my family; they are near and dear to me. These are things to rouse my sympathy. I declare I did nothing designedly wrong in this unfortunate affair. I did everything in my power to save all the emigrants. But I am one that must suffer. Having said this I feel resigned. I ask the Lord my God to extend His mercy to me, and receive my spirit. My labors here are done."

After the speech Parson Stokes (Methodist) made a prayer commending the soul of the condemned man to God. Immediately after this a handkerchief was placed over Lee's eyes; he raised his hands and placed them to the top of his head, sitting firm; Nelson giving the word "Fire," and exactly at eleven o'clock five guns were fired, the balls penetrated the body in the region of the heart. Lee fell squarely back upon his coffin. Death was instantaneous. The body was then placed in the coffin, and the crowd dispersed.

There were about seventy-five persons on the ground. Not a child or relative of the deceased was present. The best order prevailed. Lee's last words to Nelson were, "Aim at my heart." The body will be given to the relatives for interment.

Condensed Telegrams:

MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

—The foundation of the Washington Monument has been found satisfactory.

—Reported that Eugene Schuyler, U. S. Consul General at Constantinople is in difficulty with the Washington Government, in consequence of his having published the communication about Turkish affairs.

—Hampton will not visit Washington, but Chamberlain says he will.

—Nichols will receive the Commission hospitably, but will decline their services, in making any arrangements other than the establishment of his Government in all its integrity.

—The President denies having promised the withdrawal of the troops from South Carolina, and says he never authorized anyone to speak for him in that particular. He does not expect to please everybody, but will do whatever is right in his best judgment.

—Public sentiment is so opposed to the Louisiana Commission it is difficult to complete it.

—If Chamberlain declines to withdraw the troops will be removed, and Hampton old to take possession.

—There is no division of the Cabinet on the main question that S. C., and La., shall have local self Government, and that federal interference shall cease.

—Full revelations shortly to be made in a legal form indicate that Oakey Hall was fearful of again being charged with participation in the frauds of the "Ring," and in being confronted with inculpatory evidence of his [illegible]

—T[illegible] restore[illegible]

—The charges of improper conduct preferred against Rev. Mr. [illegible] attributed to blackmail.

—Rev. H. W. Beecher met a hearty reception on his return from the West yesterday.

—An American exchange says that Horace Greeley, a nephew of the founder of the "Tribune," resides at Bernard's Bay, Oswego County. Unlike his uncle, he's as unlettered as the back of a tombstone.

PIANO TUNING.

OUR MR. GOETZL is now in town, and all orders for Tuning can be left at S. A. Spangenberg's Jewelry Store.

A. & S. NORDHEIMER, Toronto.

March 24, 1877. 1i

READINGS

From Shakespeare, MODERN POETS AND HUMORISTS, —BY—

Professor D. C. BELL,

(OF DUBLIN,)

Author of the "Modern Reader and Speaker" and various other works on Elocution.

City Hall, Wednesday Mar. 28

ADMISSION 25 CENTS.

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CHEAP HAIR STORE

PROF. LAVOIE

(de PARIS) the Experienced and Skilful

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

—AND—

Practical WIG MAKER,

Begs to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Belleville and vicinity that he will open

A BRANCH HAIR STORE,

In connection with the PRINCE OF WALES HAIR DRESSING ROOMS,

No. 304 FRONT STREET,

On or about APRIL 2nd.

The Store will be under the management of MISS BARRETT, a lady of experience in this line.

March 24, 1877. tf

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A NEW BRICK HOUSE, with all modern conveniences, in a good situation on Taylor's Hill, Cheap.

Apply at This Office, or Box 250.

Insolvent Act of 1875,

AND AMENDMENTS THERETO.

IN the matter of JAMES BENJAMIN YOUNG, Of Trenton, AN INSOLVENT.

I, the undersigned, Marshall B. Roblin, of the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors who have not already done so are requested to file their claims before me within one month.

M. B. ROBLIN, Official Assignee,

Belleville, March 22d, 1877. 1in

TO LET.

THE residence formerly occupied by Erastus Holden, Esq. Possession given May 1st, 1877. Apply to H. E. HOLDEN.

Also two brick houses to let on Church St. H. E. HOLDEN.

Belleville, March 15, 1877. 6i

GEO. RITCHIE & CO

Are now showing New Spring Goods of their own importing, consisting in part of

Dress Goods,

In a variety of Fabrics and Fashionable Colors.

Mourning Goods,

In Silk Warps, Paramattas, Sedan Cords, &c.

French Kid Gloves,

Rouillon's 1st Choice.

Undressed kid Gloves,

Plain & Fancy Hosiery,

Trimmings, Rufflings, Etc.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO., Importers.

March 21st, 1877.

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

IN the Matter of ROBERT WADSWORTH of the Town of Belleville, AN INSOLVENT.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power vested in me as Assignee of the estate of the above-named Insolvent, I will offer for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at my office, Number One, Temple Chambers, Bridge Street, in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings, on MONDAY the THIRTIETH day of APRIL, A.D. 1877, at twelve O'Clock, noon, all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named Insolvent, and of myself as Assignee of his estate of, in and to the lands and premises hereinafter described; that is to say, all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Belleville, in the County of Hastings and Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Three on the West side of Octavia Street, in the said Town of Belleville, according to a plan of part of Lot Two in the First Concession of the Township of Thurlow, made for the late Edmund Murney by J. J. Haslett, P.L.S., and registered in the Registry Office for the County of Hastings on the sixth day of August, A.D. 1851. There is a large two storey Brick House on the premises.

The said property is subject to three Mortgages for Five Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars, Four Hundred Dollars, and Four Hundred Dollars respectively, and interest.

TERMS CASH.

For further particulars apply to J. PARKER THOMAS, Assignee.

Dated at Belleville the 15th February, A.D. 1877. 10ievsat

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.

DR. D. E. BURDETT.

Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

COAL! COAL! COAL!

FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.

Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.

1st. It is well known, having been established over five years.

2nd. It is conveniently situated.

3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.

N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.

I. J. LOCKWOOD.

Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

LAST CALL.

HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.

March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

A. E. FISH & CO.'S

Grand Opening Day!

AT THEIR NEW PREMISES

On SATURDAY, March 17th

When they will show their

SPRING STYLES

Of Shirts & Gents' Furnishings.

A. E. FISH & CO.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

ONE Two-Story Rough Cast House, on Hotel Street, with Hard and Soft Water on the premises.

Possession First of April.

Apply to WM. DICKENS.

Mar. 21, 1877. 5i

FOR SALE.

STOCK AND FIXTURES CONFECTIONERY BUSINESS doing good paying trade. Best stand in town. Satisfactory reasons for leaving.

Address BOX 25, P. O., Belleville, Ont.

March 23, 1877. 3i

NOTICE.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber on the third day of January last, a Bay Mare; and the owner thereof will take notice that unless she is claimed within 20 days from the date of this notice, and the charges paid for her keeping, I shall proceed to sell her by public auction to pay said charges.

PATRICK O'BRIEN.

March 21st, 1877.

WANTED.

A COMPETENT PERSON, To take charge of a Brick Yard.

W. V. DETLOR, Napanee.

March 21st, 1877. tf

Carpets!

A Magnificent Assortment of

UNION CARPETS,

NEW PATTERNS,

—AT—

50, 60 & 75c PER YD.

Call and see them. They are the Cheapest ever offered in Belleville.

GLASGOW WAREHOUSE

Belleville, March 21, 1877.

FOR SALE

100 doz Eddy's Patent Pails

80 " " Wash Boards

60 nests " Wash Tubs

50 cases "Telegraph Matches

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MANUFACTURER'S COST

—AT—

HENNESSY'S

KENNEDY'S OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

Post Office Block!

AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED "
PLAIN "
SPATTERED "

FROM 7 Cents.

SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 13, 1877.

GOOD GOODS CHEAP.

GREAT REDUCTION!

IN PRICES.

CLEARING SALE.

MAKING READY

FOR

NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St., BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 17th, 1877.

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,

Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,

With a well selected stock of

FINE GROCERIES,

HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,

AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS

We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.

HOOEY & SON,

Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

To Tavern Keepers,

Shop Keepers,

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS,

BREWERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that all

APPLICATIONS for LICENSES

For the sale of *Spirituous and Fermented Liquors,*

In the License District of

WEST HASTINGS

For the year 1877-78, must be made to the undersigned at the Committee Room in the Market Buildings, on or before the

FIRST day of APRIL Next.

Applicants must come prepared with the names of sureties they propose to offer.

JAMES ROSS, License Inspector.

March 16, 1877.

To Market Gardeners!

And those who are preparing

HOT-BEDS,

We would say our stock of

GARDEN SEEDS

Is now complete, and in

CABBAGES,

CAULIFLOWER,

And CELERY

We have been particularly careful in selecting

The Very Best Varieties

for Early Cultivation. Our entire stock, including

FLOWER & FIELD SEEDS,

has been selected with great care, and we hope to be able to give entire satisfaction to our customers.

L. W. YEOMANS & CO., Front, opposite Hotel St.

March. 17, 1877.

GLASS SYRUP JUGS

(Covered.)

17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

These are New and Cheap.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Mar. 14t, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged, and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

BELLEVILLE CHURCH DIRECTORY

EPISCOPALIAN.

CONGREGATION OF ST. THOMAS' CHURCH.
Morning service in Town Hall at 11 a.m.
Evening Service in Town Hall, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S.
Afternoon Service on Sundays at 4½ p. m.
Evening Service on Tuesday at 7½ p. m.
Rev. J. W. BURKE, B. A., Rector.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST BELLEVILLE.
Service—Sunday 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Service Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Communion, 3rd Sunday in the month.
Rev. R. S. FORNERI, B. A., Incumbent.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, STATION ROAD.
Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. JONES, Incumbent.

ROMAN-CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.
Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m. ; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3·30 p, m.
Rev. JAMES FARRELLY, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.
Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. HARPER· } Ministers.
Rev. S. P. ROSE, }

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. T. H. CULLEN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m , and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Rev. B. LANE, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.
Morning Service at 11 a. m. ; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. JOHN BURTON, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.
Services—Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.
Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. McLean, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.
Hotel Street.
Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. Cossar, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.
Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Coleman Street, West Belleville.
Morning service at 11 o'clock ; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.
Express, ... 6.50 a m
2 Express, ... 6:10 p m
.. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.
1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express, ... 12:32 a m
xed, ... 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.
Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—
For Stirling at .. .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at .. .. 3 p m
Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 24.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

FINED.—Peter Irish, of Brighton, was recently fined for practicing medicine without a license.

LEGAL.—In the Court of Appeal in Toronto, on Wednesday last, in the case of CARSON v. MINNAKER—Mr, Beaty, Q. C., for appellant ; Mr. Burdett contra. Appeal dismissed.

WARKWORTH.—Quite a number of neat and substantial buildings have been erected in the village of Warkworth. Prominent among the new erections are a large brick hotel and four stores.

RUN OVER.—A team of horses whilst being driven rapidly on Front Street yesterday afternoon, knocked down and seriously injured Mr. Donald Andersen, of Tyendinaga. Mr. A. was badly cut about the head and face

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2 50 and $3.00 per day.

IMPROVING.—Since Black River has been made navigable, Milford has become a lively business place, and a number of local improvements have recently taken place there.

Every one speaks well of it, and those who have been there once patronise the place ever afterwards. It is necessary to add that we refer to the Colonnade Hotel on Chesnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

SUDDEN DEATHS.—Mrs. Delany whilst walking along the street in Picton on Saturday last fell down, and when picked up life was found to be extinct. G A. Garrison, of Athol, died very suddenly on Wednesday last.

A DIFFICULTY.—On Thursday Mr. Munroe, of the Standard Bank, Picton, was ordered for removal to another position. He resisted the mandate and refused to change. The matter was quietly settled, however, and the new manager was installed yesterday.

NAVIGATION.—All of the steam boats plying on this bay, or owned in this vicinity, have under gone the process of overhauling during the winter. The "Rochester," "Utica," "Armenia," "Shannon" and "Alexandra" will resume their old routes whilst the "Norfolk" will run an opposite route to that of last year. The "Empress of India," which will be more speedy this year than last, will ply on Toronto Bay. The route of the "Picton" has not yet been decided on.

MURCHISON CLUB.—The annual meeting of the Murchison Club will be held at Shire Hall on Monday, 26th inst., at 7.30 p. m.

DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT.—Truman Beeman on old and much respected citizen of Napanee died yesterday afternoon.

THE CELLS.—Five tramps were quartered in the cells last night. No arrests were made last night.

A NEW INDUSTRY.—A knitting factory which turns out scarfs, Cardigan jackets, socks, stockings &c , has been started in Napanee.

GETTING READY.—The big mill at Mill Point is being got ready for the approaching season's work and all the boilers engines &c. are now being over-hauled.

CHESS.—A game of chess will shortly be played between some players of Belleville and Napanee. The contest will take place at the latter place·

NEW FACTORY.—Mr. A. H. Saylor, of Bloomfield, has purchased a foundry in Picton, and intends starting a cloth factory therein.

TELEGRAPHING.—The Dominion Telegraph Company are now extending a line to the village of Rednersville in Prince Edward County.

MAPLE SUGAR.—A considerable quantity of this article is being made in this and adjoining counties. The weather, however, is not propitious for its manufacture.

A SURPRISE.—Mrs. Joliffe, wife of Rev. Mr. Joliffe, of Kingston, was 'surprised' on Thursday evening last and made the recipient of a purse and an address.

BUSINESS CHANGE.—Downey Brothers of Napanee have disposed of their business in that place to Mr. W. R. Spence of Montreal and John Downey. R. Downey will go to Oswego.

OBITUARY.—Mrs. McNeil one of the oldest residents of Kingston, died in that city yesterday aged 70 years. She was well and widely known and was highly respected.

BUILDING IN PICTON.—A busy season for mechanics is predicted in Picton, as quite a number of private residences are to be built in that town during the coming summer.

H. S. SESSION.—The Historical Society of Albert University holds its session as usual this evening. Entertainment given by Senior Freshmen, business, reading of by-laws, Committee of Supply, &c.

WELL SUPPLIED.—Picton is so well supplied with Justices of the Peace, and all are so willing to adjudge cases that four of them occupy the bench at a single hearing. Picton's judicial luminaries were never very brilliant.

THAT DROWNING CASE.—The case of drowning reported in yesterday's issue was witnessed by Mr. James Keller, who was only a very short distance from the spot where the accident occurred. The only thing saved was a buffalo. Hughes, who was drowned, lived in Brighton.

FIREMAN'S FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Thomas Gray, of Kingston, took place at that city yesterday. The body was placed on two hose carriages joined together, and the members of the fire brigade turned out in large numbers to pay the last tribute of respect to the memory of their departed comrade.

ON OLD TRICK REVIVED.—The honest farmer has again been heard from. This time he came to town with a bag of flour and sold it to an unsuspecting citizen, who, on examination, discovered a large stone in it. This is one of the meanest acts we have heard of in some time, and is only equalled by that of the grocer who sands his sugar and sells bad vinegar.

THE PROTESTED ELECTION.—The result of the inspection of the ballots cast at the election for Councillors for Bleecker Ward has strengthened Mr. James Meagher's position, as his majority has been increased from 2 to 8. A scrutiny of the ballots will shortly take place.

DISAGREEABLE.—Pedestrians are considerably annoyed by the disagreeable state of the crossing on Bridge Street, near the residence of John Lewis, Esq., slush having accumulated to the depth of several inches in that locality. The Street Surveyor should attend to this matter as soon as possible in order to afford pedestrians a dry footing.

FIRE IN AMELIASBURG.—About eight o'clock last evening the waggon shop of Philip Way, at Mountain View, was discovered to be on fire, and in a short time it and its contents, consisting of several buggies, lumber, tools. &c , were consumed. The loss has not been ascertained ; insurance $2,000. The cause of the fire is not known.

RUNAWAY.—A horse ran away yesterday afternoon from the lane east of Pitceathly & Kelso's building and being unable to check his speed sufficiently, the shafts of the rig were driven through the window next door to the post office, demolishing the glass. The animal sped on toward Front Street and at Foster and Barber's knocked down and broke the gas lamp.

READING.—Professor David Charles Bell is expected to read in the Town Hall on the evening of Wednesday the 28th inst. We gave it as our opinion last year when he read before a Belleville audience for the first time that "he was considered the finest reader who had ever visited the town" and this verdict has been confirmed by the papers throughout the Dominion, the verdict of the Toronto journals being especially flattering to Professor Bell.

SHORTS.—There was a fair attendance at the market to-day.—The streets presented a business like air as a large number of people was in town.—Pedestrians are generally disgusted with the state of the crossings as they are very sloppy.—The bay is gradually opening up and the clear spaces in it are gradually enlarging.—The man with the ulster wears a despondent look as he will shortly have to buy a suit of new clothes.—There are three show companies booked at the Opera House.—To-morrow is Palm Sunday.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.—Recently a little son of Mr. A. Sheriff, of the Township of Athol, was scalded by falling into a vessel of hot water and was badly burned about the thighs and one hip. The burn was immediately dressed with cold water followed by an application of coal oil. On the arrival of a physician the injured parts were dressed with batting thoroughly saturated with linseed oil, the application of the latter to be repeated as occasion required without removing the batting. A few hours after this was done the child cried out, "I am burning up," and it was then discovered that the batting and clothing of the child were on fire. A strict enquiry into the circumstances of the case and a close examination of the surroundings revealed unmistakable evidence of spontaneous combustion. The batting and cloths were actually burned to a crisp and the burns thereby rendered far more serious. Was this rapid chemical decomposition which caused the clothes to ignite, the result of the combination of the oils, or of the excessive heat of the parts, or both, is a question of some importance. It is fortunate for the little fellow that he was not alone at the time, or the result might have been disastrous.

THE MAY HORSE FAIR.

The May Horse Fair will be held on the grounds of the Agricultural Society on the Queen's Birthday.

1st, 2nd and 3rd class prizes will be given, also cups and medals for all classes of horses. Every preparation will be made in order to make the fair as successful as possible, and it is hoped the County will co-operate towards that end. Every inducement will be held out so as to bring parties from a distance.

OBITUARY.

MR. GEORGE NEILSON.

A telegram from Ottawa announces the sudden death at that city of Mr. George Neilson. Mr. N. has not had good health for some time, and only a few months ago was confined to his room for some days. Latterly he had recuperated and was apparently in good health. The announcement of his death, which took place at three o'clock this morning, was a great shock to his family and the community generally. Mr. Neilson was born in Paisley, Renfrewshire, Scotland, Oct. 4th, 1815. He came to this country with his parents when four years of age, and lived with them in the Township of Ramsay, County of Lanark. Subsequently he went to Brockville, and afterwards to Kingston, from which place he removed to Belleville in 1843. He was a contractor of prominence, and has fulfilled large and important contracts both in Canada and the United States. He manifested considerable interest in municipal affairs, and was a member of the Town Council during a number of years. He was an upright and honorable man, and his death will be deeply regretted. The family has the sympathy of the community in their affliction.

POETRY.

Chief McKinnon's attention was attracted this morning by the forlorn appearance of a lady who was looking for her husband. She was evidently in great mental distress, and sadly bewailed the loss of her spouse. The subjoined poetry describes the interview between the Chief and the lady :—

HE.— What's the matter lovely maiden,
Tell me what is up I pray,
Why does grief and sadness sieze you,
Oh, why carry on this way?

SHE.— I am looking for my William,
He was out the entire night ;
Have you got him in the cooler
For some act of his whilst tight ?

HE — Yes, we've got him in the lockup,
He is sleeping on a bunk
Dreaming naught of you or others;
For he's laid out very drunk.

And still she isn't happy.

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

SATURDAY, March 25.

THE SNOW BY-LAW.

Rev. Mr. Burke, Anthony Dixon, Andrew Keyes and H. Holden were charged charged with failing to comply with the provisions of the snow by-law. Rev. Mr. Burke was fined $5.00 and costs, the next two cases were dismissed and the last laid over till Monday.

THE AUCTIONEERS' BY-LAW.

The cases against Michael Nulty and Andrew Keyes were laid over for a week.

ASSAULT.

For an assault on John Ryan, Richard Corcoran was fined $1.00 and costs.

CARTING BY-LAW.

The case against Benjamin Johnson and David Bradford was laid over for a week.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

A telegram from Toronto says:—"Intelligence was received here last night of the arrest near Morrisburg of Albert S. Keeler, Edward Keeler, and Annie Corrie, charged with the murder in 1871 of John Corrie, husband of the last named. It appears that the murder, if such it was, was committed with a view of securing the property and money of deceased. It is alleged the two Keelers took Corrie out in a boat and drowned him—at least it is understood so. A witness is prepared to testify that the three men went out together and only two of them returned. Annette Corie, who is a sister of the two men charged with murder, has been released on bail."

HASTY LEGISLATION.

The Senate is a flexible body after all. A few days ago on motion of Senator Brown it amended one of Mr. Blake's bills by declaring that the lowest term of imprisonment for an attempt to commit murder should be five years instead of two That was carried by a vote of 27 to 22. On Wednesday it struck out Mr. Brown's amendment by a vote of 38 to 28, and restored the two years minimum. The Senate is so useful in correcting hasty legislation that it does not hesitate to make hasty corrections itself in order to afterwards re-correct them.—*Hamilton Times.*

The University Boat-Race

A DEAD HEAT FOR OXFORD

Associated Press Despatch.

BOSTON, March 24.—The boat-race was announced as a victory for Oxford by less than half a length, and the editors of the afternoon papers so declare it, but two coxswains, the Ivogo and the Umpire will meet at 2 p. m. to decide whether Oxford won or the race was a dead heat. The reason for this is the ambiguous form of the Ivogo's decision, namely:—"Dead heat by 2 yards."

—Report says the Russian Government has provisioned Montenegro for a year.

—A meeting of the three Emperors is looked for shortly after the signing of the protocol.

OUR PUZZLES.

☞All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed "Puzzle Editor," Box 336, Belleville. The author's name must accompany all contributions.

HISTORICAL ACROSTIC.

1. The seat of the Saracen Caliphs in Persia.
2. A Roman general, who defeated one of two brother chiefs of the Saxons.
3. The God to whom the greatest Roman general erected a temple over the grave of his fallen rival.
4. The place where an English heir-apparent fought with a Spanish king against the usurper.
5. A celebrated hero under the Emperor Charlemagne.
6. A celebrated Chinese philosopher, who lived about five hundred years before the Christian era.
7. The father of one of the captains of the first Governor of India.
8. The name of a famous Sultan, defeated by a great Tartar warrior when preparing to attack Constantinople.
9. A Jewish king, during whose reign engines were invented for discharging arrows and great stones.
10. The Spanish king whose remains were never found, though his clothes were found.
11. The city from which the British troops embarked when America was recognized independent by England.

The initials of the answers to the above will give the name of a celebrated Scotch victory over the English.

WILLIAM KAY.

NOTE.—Mr. Kay is a pupil of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, and a member of Prof. Coleman's class. The above acrostic is proof of his thorough knowledge of Ancient and Modern History.—ED.

CHARADES.

1. My first is a bulky piece of wood; my second is used in all schools, my whole is always used in ships.
2. My first is a large body of water; my second is a human being; my third is a vessel; my whole is skill in navigating.

JAS. MACOUN, JR.

CONUNDRUMS.

Why should blacksmiths be imprisoned ?
When were salt provisions first introduced into the navy ? and by whom ?
Why is Hastings County Jail like a river ?

SOLUTIONS TO PUZZLES OF FEB. 24.

ENIGMA.—Mackenzie Bowell.
PUZZLES.—1. Essex, excess. 2. Bleach, beach, each, ache.
ARITHMETICAL QUESTIONS.—1st, 8⅔ cts.; 2nd, 1 1-7 days.
SCRIPTURAL QUESTION.—Simeon. Luke ii. 25-26.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

JAS. MACOUN, JR.—All the names mentioned in the double acrostic must be given in order to make the answer complete. Other solutions correct. Charades appear above.

G. M.—We cannot permit your clever contribution to grace our Puzzle Department until we are cognizant of the answer and your full name. For address see notice at the head of this department. Solutions correct.

MARY F. ALLISON (Marysville).—Your contribution will appear next week.

IN THE QUARTERMASTER'S STABLES. U. S. A., GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA gives the most perfect satisfaction. It is superior to any that we have ever used.—JAMES AHEARN. In charge of Quartermaster's Stables, T. S. A., 144 & 145 W. 33d St., N. Y.

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REMUS' CHURCH EXPERIENCES.

Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.

"You don't come down to church no mo', Brudder Remus. Dere's been a mighty in-t'restin meetin' gwine on lately."

"Hit's been a long time, Brudder Rastus, sence I waz down dar, and hit'll be longer. I done got my dose."

"W'y you ain't done gone an' unjined, is you, Brudder Remus?"

"Not in pertickler. I des tok'n drawd out. De members was too mutuel fer ter suit my doctrine."

"How wuz dat?"

"Well, I'll tell you, Brudder Rastus. When I went ter dat chu'ch, I went ez 'umbil ez de nex' one. I went dar for to sing, an' pray an' wuskup, I was allers on han, an' most gener-'lly had a stray shinplaster dat de ole 'omen wanted sent ter dem Pagins out dar. Hit went on dis way ontil de fus' I knowed dar wuz a row got up in de amen corner. Brudder Dick sed dere wuzn't nuff money; an' Brudder Sim sed if dere wuza't he 'spected Brudder Dick knewd whar it'd gone ter; an' den Brudder Dick 'lowed dat he wouldn't stan' no 'probusness, an' he hauled off an' took Brudder Sim under de jaw— blibt—an' den dey clinched, an' drapped, an fout on de flo', an' under de benches, an 'mong de wimmen. Den de preacher started down fum the pulpit, an' ezhe wuz skippin on de flatform a him book cotch him under de eye, an' hit soundid like a bung-shell had busted. 'Bout dis time Brudder Jesse riz up in his seat sorter keerless like an' went down inter his britches arter hiz razer; an' den I knowed de trouble had begun, Sister Dilsey, de preacher's wife, she seed it herse'f, an' let off one er dem hallaluyah-hollers, an' den I disremember what cum to pass. I'm gittin' kinder ole, an' de dust and hair shet out de panneramer. Fuddermo' my lim's got ter akin, pertickler when I heard Brudder Sim an' Brudder Dick a snortin' an' scufflin' under de benches, like ez if dey wuz makin' fer my pew; so I sorter hump myse'f an' scramble out, an' de fus' man I seed wuz a pleeceman, an he had a nigger 'rested, an' de name ob dat nigger wuz Remus."

"He didn't rest you, did he, Brudder Remus?"

"Hit's jes like I tell you. an' I had ter git Mas' John, what wuz my young master in de warmin' days to go into my bon's fer me. Hit ain't no use fer to sing out chu'ch to me. I done got my dose. When I goes ter wah I wanter know what I'm doin', an' I dont want-er git hemmed up 'mong wimmen an' preachers, I wants elbow room."

"But, Brudder Remus, you ain't——"

"I mout drop in an' I mount'nt, but when you see me santer in de do', wid my specs on, you can say ter der brudderin, sorter contidenshil, 'Dar comes ole man Remus wid his hoss pistol, and ef dar's much of a war here dis evenin' you gwine to hear fum him. So long. 'Member me to Sister Tempy."

HOW TO IMPROVE STOCK.

As the season of the year is close at hand when the farmer makes his selection of stock to sell and keep, it is proper that we should stop and consider how we shall make the selection to our best advantage. In hogs and cattle it matters not what our stock is, we always have some inferior ones, and it will pay to keep the best and sell the poorest. I do not wish, however, to be understood as recommending putting half-fattened unsaleable stock in the market. I advise all to sort out the inferior ones and give them extra attention and feed; get them into good condition and then sell them off. Save for yourself nothing but the best, and you will soon see a great change in your stock. Also expend a few dollars for pure or high-blooded stock, and in a few years you will get back your money with a hundred per cent. added. You will also discover that it does not cost any more to raise a three-year-old steer that will weigh 1,400 to 1,600 pounds than it will to raise a scrub that will weigh from 700 to 1,000 pounds, and the same holds equally good with hogs. I have some at a year old that will weigh 300 pounds or over, and others of the same age that will weigh only about half as much, and all have the same feed and the same chance. Blood will show; feed does not do it all.—*Country Gentleman.*

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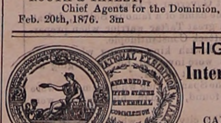

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May 5, 1874.

DR. CHARLES RIDLEY.
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LATE HAWLEY HOUSE,
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NICHOLSON
HAS REMOVED HIS
LIVERY STABLES
—TO—
DOMINION HOUSE YARD,
Where he will keep nothing but first-class rigs of every description.
Office over Price's Flour and Feed Store.

THE
STADACONA
FIRE & LIFE INSURANCE Co.

HEAD OFFICE, - QUEBEC.

FINANCIAL RESULT OF 14 MONTHS BUSINESS TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1875.

Authorized Capital,	5,000,000 00
Subscribed do	2,300,000 00
Paid up Capital,	200,000 00
Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
Government Deposit Life,	50,000 00
Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
Cash in hand and Deposit,	49,193 00
Other Assets,	49,588 00
Total Assets	$293,794 00

This Company has now established itself and has Eleven Branches and 207 Agencies in the Dominion.

(Signed) GEO J PYKE, General Manager.
Quebec, April 4th, 1876.

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Local Boards established throughout the Dominion.
Fire and Life Policies issued at moderate prices.

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THE BAKERY AND
CONFECTIONERY ESTABLISHMENT
KNOWN AS WILSON'S BAKERY, &c., in the rear of Hyman's Hat Store.
Apply
JAMES WILSON, Mill Point,
or GEO. C. HOLTON & Co.

NOW IS THE TIME
TO FILL YOUR
SCRAP BOOKS.
1 case SCRAP PICTURES
1 do RELIEFS
1 do PERFORATED MOTTOES
1 do CARD HOLDERS,
H. C. RAY,
Robertson Block, Belleville.
March 8th, 1877. d&w

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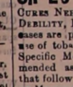
ENGLISH REMEDY,



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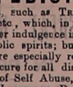

Before Taking. After Taking

SPECIFIC MEDICINE
CURES NERVOUS DISEASE, such as TREMOR DEBILITY, PROSTRATION, etc., which, in many cases are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse, Loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption, and a Premature Grave, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature, and over indulgence.

The Specific Medicine is the result of a long study and many years of experience in treating those special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent by mail on receipt of the money by addressing
WILLIAM GRAY & CO., Windsor, Ont.
Sold in Belleville by L. W. Yeomans & Co., A. L. Geen, Clark & Co., and by all Druggists everywhere. 262d48t&w11t

A. E. FISH & CO.'S
Grand Opening Day!
AT THEIR NEW PREMISES
On SATURDAY, March 17th
When they will show their
SPRING STYLES
Of Shirts & Gents' Furnishings.
A. E. FISH & CO.

LAST CALL.
HAVING made several requests for payment, I now give notice that the accounts due me must be paid by the 20th inst., and if not, costs will be made, as accounts must be closed.
March 8, 1877. A. ROBERTSON.

C C C
WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
Stock of Gents' Furnishings,

BIG COAL HOUSE
MR. WM. JOHNSTON
IS authorised to CLOSE OUR BOOKS the 15th Inst.
Any parties having claims against us will please present them immediately.
Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
DOWNEY & POPE.
Feb. 10th, 1877.

STAMPED
IMPERIAL MEASURES
OF
Best Make and Material,
—AND—
STOVES
OF ALL KINDS,
CHEAPER FOR CASH!
Than Anywhere else,
AT CHOWN'S
STOVE, TIN & HARDWARE STORE.
361 Front St., Belleville.

☞ HAVE ARRIVED.—A splendid lot of Bird Cages, the Best and Cheapest in Town

DOORS! DOORS!
MADE on honor of 1¼ such stuff, well seasoned, for the low price of $1.30 per door AT
THOMAS McRae's
STEAM PLANING MILL,
Sash, Door, and Blind Factory
Opposite the Market, Pinnacle Street, Belleville.
PLANING,
MATCHING,
GROOVING, &c., &c.
and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.
Also the FINEST SEASONED LUMBER IN TOWN.

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!
CONTRACTS
Taken for building throughout at the lowest price.
Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be
PROMPTLY FILLED
THOMAS McRAE
Bellev Dec 20, 1875.

NEW SPRING STOCK!
—OF—
BOOTS AND SHOES,
JUST RECEIVED
AT THE KINGSTON
Penitentiary Boot & Shoe Store
CONSISTING OF
GENTS', LADIES' and CHILDREN'S
Kid, Prunella and Leather Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.
We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of
Gents' Walking BOOTS,
Viz., THE CLANDEBOYE & ALEXIS.
ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,
All of which willbe sold Cheap for Cash.
No. 367 FRONT STREET,
Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
Mar. 14th, 1877.

COAL! COAL! COAL!
FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.

This Coal Yard is centrally situated on Pinnacle Street, opposite the Market, and is well known as Bogart's (Lackawanna) Coal Yard.

Said yard is desirable to intending purchasers for several reasons.
1st. It is well known, having been established over five years.
2nd. It is conveniently situated.
3rd. It renders unnecessary the expense of an office apart from the yard.
N. B.—Possession of Wood Yard can be given immediately.
I. J. LOCKWOOD.
Belleville, 7th Feb. 1877.

Carpets!
A Magnificent Assortment of
UNION CARPETS,
NEW PATTERNS,
—AT—
50, 60 & 75c PER YD.
Call and see them. They are the Cheapest ever offered in Belleville.
GLASGOW WAREHOUSE
Belleville, March 21, 1877.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO
Are now showing New Spring Goods of their own importing, consisting in part of

Dress Goods,
In a variety of Fabrics and Fashionable Colors.

Mourning Goods,
In Silk Warps, Paramattas, Sedan Cords, &c.

French Kid Gloves,
Rouillon's 1st Choice.

Undressed kid Gloves,

Plain & Fancy Hosiery,

Trimmings, Rufflings, Etc.

GEO. RITCHIE & CO., Importers.
March 21st, 1877.

Arrived
THIS DAY.
100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
25 Bbls. DRIED APPLES
100 Bbls. Choice Family Flour,
CHEAP
—AT—
W. R. M'RAE & CO'S
Wholesale Dealers.

FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
AND
PROVISIONS
AT
THE WEST BELLEVILLE GROCERY.
☞ Call at once for Bargains.
J. McGUIRE.

FISH! FISH!!
FRESH HADDOCK.
FINNAN HADDIES,
YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BONELESS COD,
MACKEREL, in Kitts,
JUST RECEIVED.
GEO. WALLBRIDGE, Grocer and Wine Merchant.
Feb 12th, 1877

ANCHOR LINE.
UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS,
Sail every Saturday from
NEW YORK AND GLASGOW (via Londonderry) AND LONDON DIRECT.
RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency NEW YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, or LONDONDERRY.
Cabins, $65 to $80, according to accommodations. Excursion Tickets, $120 to $140.
NEW YORK AND LONDON (direct). Cabins $55 to $70. Excursion Tickets, $100 to $120.
STEERAGE always as low as by any other Steamers are unsurpassed for elegance and comfort.
The Passenger accommodations of Anchor Company's offices, 7 Bowling Green, N Y
Agent, E. W. DAVY, Front St.
Opposite the Market, Belleville.
Oct. 4th, 1876.

ELEPHANT
CLOTHING STORE.
C. E. PEIRCE
BEGS leave to return thanks to the citizens of Belleville and surrounding country for their kind patronage during the time he has been here; and notifies them that he has sold out his business to Messrs. BARTMAN & SINTZEL, who are practical men; and hopes that the success he has attained will be given to his successors.

BARTMAN & SINTZEL
in succeeding to the business of C. E. Peirce, beg to say that they intend selling off at less than 25 per cent. LESS THAN COST, all the Ready-Made Clothing, &c., and that they intend to open in a few days with a magnificent stock of
BROADCLOTHS, TWEEDS, &C.,
AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS,
All bought especially for this trade.
As we are Practical Cutters and manufacturers, we ask a share of your patronage.
PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.
CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.
BARTMAN & SINTZEL, 311 Front St.
March 12, 1877.

BAY CITY
MABRLE WORK'S,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.
THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Gondon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station, Pinnacle Street, Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

FRESH FISH!
FRESH OYSTERS!
ROSS & DAVIES
Have received and offer for sale
FRESH COD,
FRESH HADDOCK,
FRESH SALT WATER HERRINGS,
SALT WATER SALMON in Brls
SALMON TROUT in Hlf Brls
WHITE FISH in Half Brls.
R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
DIAMOND BRAND
OYSTERS!
(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
ROSS & DAVIES,
Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
Corner Front & Bridge Sts.,
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
Feb. 2nd, 1877.

GEORGE E. SMALL
PRODUCE and General Commission Merchant. Real Estate and Financial Agent, Stock Broker and Accountant,
BOGART'S BLOCK, FRONT STREET,
Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.
Consignments of and orders for Flour, Grain, Cheese, Butter, and other Farm Produce solicited. Attention given to consignments of all descriptions.
Sales of Farming Lands and Town Lots and Loans on Mortgages negotiated. Bank and other Stocks bought and sold. Insolvent Estates wound up. Intricate accounts adjusted and books audited.
March 2, '77.

MOTTO,
"Best Piano at Lowest Price."

CHARLES D. BLAKE & CO'S
GRAND, SQUARE & UPRIGHT
PIANO-FORTES!
JOHN N. LAZIER,
GENERAL AGENT, Belleville.
These Pianos are noted for
LOW PRICE,
ELASTIC TOUCH,
SINGING QUALITIES,
DELICACY & POWER of TONE
And GREAT DURABILITY
Special Inducements to Clergymen, Dealers and Teachers of Music.
Send for Illustrated Catalogue and Price List.

REMOVAL OF BUSINESS.
B. SNUGGS',
FISH Market, next the "Intelligencer Office, Market Square,
Every Kind of Fish in Season,
From Quebec, Portland, Boston and New York.
Bay and Lake Fish always on hand.
Received this day—SHELL OYSTERS AND CLAMS
B SNUGGS
Fish and Poultry Dealer, Market Square.
April 13th, 1876

CITY BOOK BINDERY.
BOOK BINDING.
BOOK BINDING.
ALL STYLES
—DONE—
Neatly, Cheaply & Expeditiously
AT THIS OFFICE.
JAMES J. LANDY, MANAGER.

Christmas Goods.
500 Boxes RAISINS,
20 Barrels CURRANTS,
50 Barrels PEEL,
TO BE SOLD AT COST
Within the Next TEN DAYS
At the store of the Late
JOHN TEMPLETON
FRONT STREET.
WILLIAM TEMPLETON.

SEEDS. SEEDS.
JUST RECEIVED
A Large and Well-Selected Stock of
CHOICE SEEDS!
From the most reliable growers in England, France and United States.
True to Name and 1876 Growth
APOTHECARIES HALL
J. H. HAMBLY.

T. C. TILLINGHAST
Is now showing a very choice and select stock of NEW
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WEST OF ENGLAND TROWSERINGS,
WORSTED COATINGS,
SPRING OVERCOATINGS,
IN GREAT VARIETY
GIVE ME A CALL.
April 22nd, 1876.

THOMAS GARDNER.
SLATE-ROOFER, plain and ornamental plasterer, &c. Centre pieces made to order. Thirty years experience. Reference, Hon. Robert Read, Mr. W. E. Holton, Marchmont, Rev. Mr. Bird.

THURLOW REDEEMED.

To the Editor of the ONTARIO.

At the sound of the bugle of the mighty mechanic of the north, thirteen malcontents met in solemn conclave at the Capitol at Canifton, and vowed and declared that they'd "give neither sleep to their eyes nor slumber to their eyelids" till by the power of the clan they'd purged the corporation of Thurlow of the leeches that infest her public offices. The clan was ordered to be seated by the aforesaid mechanic, who, with flights of imagination peculiarly his own, fancied himself Reeve of the Township, and on the high road to —to—well, I won't say what—but certainly to something. After securing order the aforesaid critical curiosity eloquently relieved himself of the following grandiloquent splurge:

Mr. Chairman—O, I beg pardon, I'm Chairman myself—but, gentlemen, electors of the Township of Thurlow, I am pleased, overjoyed I might say, to summon you to meet me on this auspicious, I might say, momentous occasion, to convey to you with all the eloquence, and I might say, equanimity of my own pure, and I might say, righteous corporation is capable, my eternal, and as it were, my thanks on this auspicious occasion for the almost overawing unanimity with which, I was going to say, I was elected on that auspicious occasion, but it is better, as it were for my, for my business that I was not elected; indeed, I am glad I was not. I shall not on this occasion trespass on your patience further than to say that, business or no business, by hook or by crook, I'm going, as it were, to depose the official dignitary, who, with such malignant suavity, as it were, secured, and with such boorish dignity holds the seat which I occupy today. In common parlance (as a noted Senator puts it) I'm bound to bust Ashley next time. (Clamorous applause). Chairman, Gentlemen, I beg to introduce my distinguished predecessor, the man that *daily* takes an interest in whey and floating curds.

From a dark corner issues a figure somewhat like a human form, and as daylight rushes against his emaciated visage we recognize a face familiar in other days as our greatest municipal failure.

He steps forward with evident timidity, and eloquently relieves himself of the following icily-regular sentences:—Gentlemen, I shall not detain you long, but, ah, I wish to, to say before I resume my seat, ah, that I heartily concur, ah, in what the Reeve (the Chairman I mean,) has said. As there is a distinguished and eloquent member of the party from Sidney to follow me, ah, and one who stands high in the County Association, ah, and (warming with his subject) can materially aid us in organizing our Lib. Con. Association, by the help of which, with the good old party, levers, ten and whiskey, I am sure we'll kick out Ashley, elect the five we decide on to-day for the council, and go on conquering and to conquer. (Vociferous applause.)

This fetched the Squire, who grinned on the gallop, but was completely *cooked* on being chided by the Chairman for unseemly conduct in public.

Chairman in stentorian tones—"The Co. President. Every optic sustains unusual tension, and the thirteen mal-contents (each on a separate bench, to fill up you know), continue by special request of the Chairman. Uproarious applause.

"Put the critter out," shouts a malcontent.

"Shoot the President if that's him, cries another.

"Cheese him," cries a third.

"A stunner ain't he," screams a fourth.

Here the Chairman gallantly and with his usual dignity, asks a hearing for the President, and repeats the beautiful but somewhat trite simile "That a singed cat is better than he looks."

"Hope so for our sake," sings an irrepressible.

Mr. Chairman and fellow citizens:—Owing to the day being sloppy and the lateness of the hour, I shall only say fellow citizens, that I join in what the Chairman has said on this auspicious occasion, as the Chairman so eloquently put it, and believe what both of the previous speakers privately remarked before the Reeve, Chairman I should say called the meeting to order, viz, that Ashley having no influence in the County Council should be dropped, and such talented men as your worthy Chairman sent to legislate in the interests of Thurlow. (Don't want the position said the Chairman.) It is, fellow citizens, with a good deal of self sacrifice that I am here to assist in so laudable an undertaking. I must leave as I have the chores to do when I get home, I leave you authority to organize as a branch of our Association. Fellow citizens I wish you good day. (Tremendous cheers.)

Chairman after the President had retired.—This is, as I had hoped, an auspicious occasion. I told you about Ashley's influence, now you see its the truth. As I said in the presence of the President, I don't want the position, but the township is going to the dogs. My little all is here and I am willing to sacrifice my business interests, my personal comfort, all I have, for the good of the township. (The thirteen clapped approval.) Now gentlemen, those of you that will vow that you will give "neither sleep to your eyes nor slomber to eyelids," so to speak, until you see me elected to the position to which I so laudably aspire, stand up. The thirteen rose up simultaneously. This was too much for the Chairman, who was affected to tears, followed by nervous spasms and feeling his strength giving away, he fell back unconscious in his chair. The Squire and two others nobly rushed to his help, and as they were carrying him into the fresh air, he was heard by the Squire, in most touching accents to observe, this is indeed, an auspicious occasion.

FIASCO.

Canifton, March 22nd, 1877.

THE PREMIER CANED.

ADDRESS AND REPLY.

Monday morning a party consisting of the following members of the House, viz.: —Messrs. Ryan, Ross (of Durham), Ross (of Prince Edward), Oliver, Biggar, Kerr, Shibley, and Burk, along with Mr. J. R. Pattullo, Secretary of the Ontario Reform Association, proceeded to the Premier's offices in the Public Works Department, for the purpose of presenting him with the gold-headed cane which was voted to him at the bazaar held by the Roman Catholic ladies of Lindsay on the 10th ultimo. Mr. Ryan, to whom was assigned the pleasant task of making the presentation, performed that duty in a speech so appropriate that it is worthy of reproduction. He said:—"Mr. Mackenzie, we have come here this morning to perform a very agreeable commission—

(*Continued on Fourth Page.*)

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 28.

On the first page will be found a report of the presentation of a cane to the Premier, on behalf of the Roman Catholic ladies of Lindsay, and the reply to the address. It is well worth reading.

The London Chamber of Commerce has energetically protested against the proposed tax on coal. Interesting figures are given to sustain the position taken. From this action on the part of the London Board of Trade we scarcely see how the people of Western Ontario are "coming down to business," as the *Mail* asserts.

Sir John says he is now very sorry that he did not, in 1873, just before resigning, settle all claims against the Secret Service fund, and hand the balance over to his successors. By doing so he would have saved all this trouble. Sir John's contrition and confession, at this late hour, cannot save him from a well-deserved censure.

Mr. Pattullo, the active Secretary of the Ontario Reform Association, has been at Ottawa attending meetings of the party, and will be in South Brant on Thursday to take part in the nomination of Mr. Hardy. The object of the Association is to obtain as complete cohesion of party principles as possible, and a thorough organization throughout the Province before the next general election. We would again remind our friends of the necessity for action in this County. They are, equally with ourselves, interested in the maintenance of the political principles that now prevail at Ottawa and Toronto. "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty;" and only by a well-organized party can we expect to retain the advantages now enjoyed.

HUMILIATED.

Mr. Bowell has been very active in his services as one of Sir John's trusted deputies during the present session, but on Monday his zeal led him a little too far, and as a consequence he suffered humiliation. In making a motion for correspondence respecting Government deposits in Ontario Bank, he undertook to make out a case against the Government by charging that a corrupt bargain had been made with the President of the above-mentioned bank, by which the political influence of the latter had been secured. Mr. Cartwright was willing to produce all the papers possible bearing on the question, but emphatically denied that any bargain had been entered into with Mr. Simpson of the nature charged. He pointed out that the Ontario Bank had agencies at Prince Arthur's Landing and Winnipeg, through which business to the extent of three or four millions of dollars was transacted with the North-West. Not satisfied with the information he had received, and ambitious of fame, Mr. Bowell renewed his attack in a most impudent and offensive manner, even going so far as to insinuate that Mr. Cartwright's connection with the Commercial Bank was not so honorable as it might have been. For this gratuitous insult he was not only severely castigated by the Finance Minister, but had to suffer the further humiliation of being reprimanded by his own leader. The inconsistency of his first charge was shown by the fact that Mr. Simpson, whose political influence Mr. Bowell alleges to have been fraudulently purchased by the Government, had been a member of the Liberal party for twenty years, and was a strong supporter of Mr. Mackenzie when the latter came into power in 1874. It was not necessary, therefore, to purchase his support.

But this is only a sample of the services rendered his party by the honorable member for North Hastings. He is bursting with grievances, and is never satisfied with making motions for papers, &c. Dr. Tupper must look to his laurels, or the reputation he has won as the most reckless and abusive member of the House will be lost. Mr. Bowell can match him with false accusations, and more than match him with redundance of cheek and indifference to defeats. If his object is to impress the faithful of North Hastings with the wonderful versitality of thought and restless industry of their representative, his success will not contribute to the desired result. It is true, his pocket organ has been carefully instructed, and never omits to tell its readers all about Mr. Bowell's doings and sayings in the House, much to the detriment of its character as a truthful exponent of public opinion. Yesterday we were treated to an extended notice of his latest exploit as a Parliamentary critic, and were told how the Government leaders winced and scowled beneath his cutting invectives. It is fortunate, however, that the people of North Hastings have not to depend entirely on the *Intelligencer* for their political pabulum.

THE SECRET SERVICE INQUIRY.

Yesterday further enquiry was made into the Secret Service expenditure, before the Public Accounts Committee. We condense the most important facts brought out: The Chairman read a letter and statement from Mr. Yarker, Manager of the Bank of Montreal, Toronto, with reference to the special deposit in 1872 of $10,000 sent there. This amount was deposited on Nov. 11th, 1872. On the 13th $2,000 was drawn on cheque; on the 15th $3,000; on the 16th another $3,000, and on the 19th $2,000. Mr. Yarker said that the cheque and vouchers had been mailed to Sir John Macdonald on the 5th of March, 1873. The account had been kept under the heading of "The Right Honorable Sir John Macdonald in account with the Bank of Montreal."

Sir John being recalled was briefly examined. He stated that he had several interviews with Mr. Mackenzie in 1876, but not before; and that these interviews were very brief, being simply for the purpose of fixing a day for a full conversation in the matter. He finally told Mr. Mackenzie that the $6,000 was for a claim for which Senator Campbell had incurred personal responsibility. During the time this $6,000 was incurred Mr. Campbell, in Sir John's illness, had been acting as Premier, and had undertaken to meet engagements of which Sir John knew nothing.

Mr. Mackenzie was then asked to make a statement of the affair as he remembered it. This he did, clearly, succinctly, measuredly, and without anything that could be regarded as feeling. The crowded room was still as death during the proceedings, and everything seemed to be said with bated breath. This was the result of the general expectation that serious revelations would be made. We take the following from the Hamilton *Times'* Ottawa correspondence:—"The Premier said:

Late in the fall of 1875 Mr. Langton came to me with an air of astonishment and said that a very unexpected thing had turned up, and that Sir John Macdonald had refunded about $20,000 which had been at his credit for some time in the bank. I expressed my amazement that I had heard nothing of it before, and asked him how it had happened. He said he really did not know, and that he had not the slightest conception of the existence of the balance of Secret Service money until Sir John had told him of it a few days prior to our then interview. Mr. Langton informed me how much was retained, and for what purpose. I said that Sir John could not pay away the $6,000, and that it must be regularly paid, if at all, under the resolution passed by the Public Accounts Committee of 1872, and that he had better write to Sir John immediately and tell him so. Mr. Langton said he would, and afterwards he showed me a letter from Sir John to him, in which he stated he would soon be in Ottawa and see me. I saw nothing of him until Parliament met in 1876, and as he did not come to me I sent to him, on the second or third day of the session, and mentioned the matter to him, stating that the whole affair must come up in the House, for it was quite impossible that I could sanction that means of disposing of the Secret Service money. I also referred to the interviews Mr. Langton had had with me. He said he would call at my office and talk the subject over; but he did not do so. In the third week of the session, as nearly as I can remember, I again went to his seat and spoke of the matter. He said he had been ill, which I knew, for he had not been much in the House. He told me that as soon as he was better he would meet my views and have the matter laid before the House. He, however, did not do so. Four or five days before the close of the session, I for the third time went to him and said that I could consent no longer to permit the matter to remain in abeyance, for I had been months in possession of the facts and they must now be explained to the House. He then suggested that he would call and see me, and observed that it was too late then to do or say anything, for many of the members had already gone home. Either on the day before, or immediately after prorogation, he came to my office and explained the subject partially. He said Senator Campbell had solely dealt with the matter in which he had become responsible for the $6,000, but that was all he would say on that item. He further for $600 he gave me pretty good assurance had been expended by Mr. Pope in the detective service at Montreal, and he admitted it was for a different purpose than for which the larger amount was expended. He said "I could easily explain the matter to the Public Accounts Committee, but this I informed him was quite impossible. My impression when this conversation was taking place was that the fund had been lying at the credit of Sir John Macdonald individually. I may add that had Mr. Langton told me what he now admits, that he knew that for years the money was in the bank, I would have taken a very different course; but he said nothing to me of the balance until it had been disposed of.

To Sir John Macdonald: You may have told me that Senator Campbell would rather lose the money than have any after-claps about it, but I do not recollect that you did.

Witness continued: I understood at this time that the six thousand dollars had been paid to him; Mr. Langton told me the money had been lying at the credit of Sir John Macdonald's private account, and not to that of the account of the Sub-committee in charge of the Secret Service Fund; Dr. Tupper asked Mr. Langton how he reconciled his statement about knowing for years that the $32,000 had been in the Bank with the Premier's statement that he had spoken to him about the balance in 1875 as something astonishing which had unexpectedly turned up."

THE GRAND JUNCTION.

Elsewhere will be found a letter from a "Shareholder," in reply to an editorial in Monday's issue of the Ontario. Our correspondent speaks with authority, and, believing in the principle of British fair play, we readily accord him a hearing. In censuring the legal proceedings against Mr. Lloyd "et al," we did so in the public interest and without reference to any particular member or member of the Board of Directors. One thing seemed certain to us, viz: that some person or persons, interested in the Grand Junction enterprise, had been, or were still, instrumental in defeating the very purposes for which the people so liberally voted their money. These repeated legal quibblings and personal animosities have disgusted many and create a feeling of suspicion that is, we think, perfectly justifiable under the circumstances. If Messrs. Lloyd & Co. have obstructed the work in any way they, too, are deserving of censure. With reference to the re-election of old members of the Board, did not Mr. Lloyd and those who act with him, at the meeting on the 17th inst., express their willingness to support Mr. Brown, providing he immediately began the construction of the road? They only asked such a representation as their interests entitled them to.

Editorial Notes.

The success of the Dunkin Act in the County of York is looked upon as a foregone conclusion.

Mrs. Morrison announces no performance at her theatre, Toronto, on Good Friday. This is an innovation.

Counterfeit fifty cent pieces are in circulation. The trading public should be on their guard.

The suicide of Logan, dry goods dealer of Montreal, has caused considerable interest, owing to the very high character which the prisoner previously held.

Honore Cote, ex-cashier of Jacques Cartier Bank, Montreal, has been sentenced to six months imprisonment in jail for dishonest use of the bank funds.

Mariners are already on the move and beginning to prepare for the opening of navigation.

Mr. McKenzie, of the firm of Messrs. Parson, McKenzie & Co., pork packers, St. Marys, was severely burned yesterday by the igniting of some coal oil.

Much sympathy is felt in Ottawa for the Messrs. Edwards, plaintiffs in the action against the Ottawa Navigation Co., on account of Chief Justice Harrison's judgment against them.

A Match Factory is about to be established in Toronto. Employment, in one shape and another, to two or three hundred families is promised.

The residence of Mr. Henry Lirelly, near Crediton, was burned last Monday night, and three of his children, aged 5, 7, and 9 years, were burned to death.

A prominent Toronto official assignee says that commercial matters were never in a worse condition. He is of opinion that affairs have not touched bottom yet.

The Keeler murder investigation at Cornwall has resulted in the commitment for trial of Albert Samuel Keeler, Edward Keeler, and Abraham V. Bedstead. Mrs. Corry was discharged. The trial will take place in April.

THE GRAND JUNCTION

To the Editor of the Ontario.

Sir,—In the issue of your valuable paper of Monday last appears a short editorial on the above subject, which, unintentionally on your part no doubt, does an injustice to certain parties prominently connected with the undertaking.

In that article you (censure those who have taken legal proceedings against Mr. Lloyd and others, whom you assume were duly elected to the Board of Directors on the 17th inst., and intimated that such an action is a direct attempt to burke the proceedings that have been begun in favor of the immediate construction of the road. You also add that you can conceive no other reason for this opposition than a disposition to stave off the resumption of the work and to manipulate the Board for ulterior and selfish purposes; and end up by accusing the contractor, Mr. Brown, and his advisors with deception and indifference.

Now, Mr. Editor, this is a pretty strong indictment, and if true your censures are well deserved. But, unfortunately, these censures are based upon assumptions which the facts of the case will not warrant.

In the first place, your readers are left to infer that certain old members of the Board of Directors *commenced* these legal proceedings, which is the reverse of the truth, as Mr. Lloyd and his friends began the attack, and his adversaries only acted on the defence. No doubt a legal contest of this kind is detrimental to the best interests of the Railway, and must, of necessity, delay its successful progress; but Mr. Lloyd and his advisers are alone responsible for this, and should have duly considered the matter before commencing open hostilities.

You also assume that Mr. Lloyd *et al* were duly elected Directors at the meeting referred to, and that their rights in this respect should not be called into question. The opinion of eminent Counsel is that the Directors elected at the general meeting of stockholders in October last, hold office for a year, and cannot be displaced without their consent until the year expires. This is one of the legal points upon which the Court will be called upon to decide, and it would be well for laymen to wait for that decision before pronouncing a positive opinion.

The insinuation that certain parties are desirous of burking proceedings and delaying the construction of the road is obviously levelled at certain prominent Directors, and is in my opinion, very unwarranted and unjust. What motive could they have in perpetrating anything so suicidal, as their character and reputation, if not their personal interest, are at stake and would seriously suffer if the enterprise should fail, either from want of energy (or ability, or through any misconduct on their part? If any of the Directors are deserving of the censure you have passed upon them, they are either knaves or fools, if not both, and their names should be designated. If all are not guilty, the innocent should not suffer through such general imputations.

But why should Mr. Brown, the proposed contractor, come under this general censure? In what respect has he been guilty of either deception or indifference? While not long since he was busy making arrangements to go on with the undertaking, his honest endeavors were interfered with by certain parties who would try and make the public believe that they alone were worthy of being entrusted with the completion of the enterprise. I think that the term "obstructionists" might very well be more appropriately applied elsewhere than to those you think opposed to Mr. Lloyd and his friends.

Now, a word or two as to the latter. You are aware that at the pretended election held on the 17th inst., these latter had it all their own way; they could have elected or rejected any one they chose, as none but themselves, I believe, took part in such election. How does it come then, that they re-elected Messrs. Kelso, Brown, Robertson and others, whom they had been publicly denouncing as unworthy of confidence? Does not this show that these gentlemen had either been calumniated, or that Mr. Lloyd was quite willing to work with men of damaged reputations so long as he could get his share of the supposed plunder? Perhaps, Mr. Editor, you can throw a little light on this piece of gross inconsistency. I confess the nut is too hard for me to crack, or any unsophisticates.

Shareholder.

CARRYING FIRE ARMS.

The Hamilton *Times* humorously hits off Mr. Blake's Bill to make the carrying of pistols a punishable offence in this way:—"Apart from this, we think Mr. Blake should, at least, add to his measure a proviso in favor of all connected with the writing staff of a newspaper. When a journalist sitting in a room, with only one door and a window, twenty or thirty feet from the ground, is interviewed by a Goliath armed with a cordwood stick, whose object is to know who "writ that little piece,—the man of the pen will be able to converse much more calmly, honestly and freely with the man with the cordwood stick if he has a "shooting iron" within reach. In the interests of freedom of speech we submit he should be allowed to always have a hard fact and persuasive argument of that kind at his disposal when called upon to explain his views in private to such visitors. But perhaps the Act does not cover his case inasmuch as it is only when such weapons are carried without "reasonable cause" that the act becomes an offence. Now there does exist "reasonable cause" in Ontario for journalists to be armed, for has not Mr. J. B. Robinson put on record his ardent desire to punch the heads and bruise and batter the bodies of the whole journalistic fraternity of the country. He has not yet actively entered on his mission, and perhaps will not until after he has concluded his engagement with the "Beasts at Ephesus," but when he does, it may be well for our brothers of the press to know that Mr. Blake's bill does not, at all events, forbid the use of Armstrong guns or bomb shells. If every sanctum is properly provided with a supply of those useful articles, it may be that they will suffice to keep the great press destroyer at a safe distance."

Specialties.

—Somebody asserts that a "blue glass chimney on the parlor lamp will bring a young man up to the point of proposing to a cross-eyed maiden with store teeth, in three evenings.

—"I am a gentleman of leisure taking a sun-bath," is what a corner loafer told a policeman yesterday afternoon, when the blue-coated guardian requested the lounger to "move on."

—A gentleman of this city had occasion to correct his daughter, aged four, recently. After it was over and she had sat a while, she went to her mother and inquired:—"Don't you think it would do papa good to go out dors."

—In Brooklyn the other day, a young man named Samuel C. Spoonor, attempted to shoot his sweetheart, Louisa Horne, for no other reason, it is said, than that she refused to marry him.—"Exchange." Sam was determined, it appears, to "make a Spooner spoil a Horne."

—Thanks and a thousand of them, to that unknown genius who entrusted a trunk, with a hive of bees in it, to the tender mercies of a baggage master, the other day. The company will pay for the bees, and the doctor thinks his patient will be around again in a fortnight or so.

—Pierre de Merville, doctor, count and adventurer, has cut his bail and left Montreal for parts unknown.

—The Premier sees nothing to prevent the people of Nova Scotia controlling the iron trade of the Dominion.

—Mr. Mackenzie told a cold deputation on Saturday that the system to any interest was inadmissible.

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A GRAND HORSE FAIR

AND STALLION SHOW!

Will be held on the grounds of the

West Hastings Agricult'l Soc'ty,

BELLEVILLE,

ON the 24th of MAY,

QUEEN'S BIRTH-DAY!

When CUPS, MEDALS, and other rewards will be offered for excellence in all classes of Horses.

A track will be open to test the speed, pace and carriage of horses.

Cattle, Farm Stock, Poultry and Agricultural Implements, may be exhibited for sample, sale or barter.

An Auctioneer will be in attendance.

Agricultural Societies are solicited to select Stallions for the season.

☞ The Fair will close with a spirited game at

FOOT BALL.

The Fair will open at 10 a.m. and close at 3 p.m.

T. G. WALLBRIDGE.
Super't, Public Fairs.

March 28, 1877. dlaw&wtd

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ALL PARTIES

Wishing Hot X Buns for

GOOD FRIDAY!

will please leave their orders before THURSDAY Noon at

WM. DICKENS & SONS
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The Celebrated Imported

CLYDESDALE HORSE,

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The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on in this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of "Moore & Cox," at Belleville, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John Cox, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled.

GEO. W. MOORE.
JOHN COX.

Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.

Witness—H. PRETTY.

Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale continued in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD. 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

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Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6w3i.

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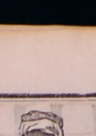
Or N. E. Corner Bridge and Front Streets.



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Will provide these delicacies, as usual, and

DELIVER THEM

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MORNING, EARLY,

IN TIME FOR BREAKFAST.

☞ Please leave your orders ON or BEFORE THURSDAY NEXT.

All orders under Fifty Dozen Cash.

HAMBLY'S

CONFECTIONERY,

Established 1850.

EXTRA CHOICE

SUGAR CURED HAMS

BREAKFAST BACON,

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GEO. WALLBRIDGE,

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Feb 1st, 1877.

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Ladies Hair Dresser,

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In connection with the PRINCE OF WALES HAIR DRESSING ROOMS,

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On or about APRIL End.

The Store will be under the management of MISS BARRETT, a lady of experience in this line.

March 24, 1877. tf

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A NEW BRICK HOUSE, with all modern conveniences, in a good situation on Taylor's Hill, Cheap.

Apply at This Office, or Box 250.

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GREAT REDUCTION!

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N. H. Peterson,

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Feb. 17th, 1877.

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A. N. PRINGLE'S

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SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1½ Inch Four Pannel Door $1,00
Blinds, per foot 20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

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As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

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ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

To Tavern Keepers,

Shop Keepers,

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS,

BREWERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that all

APPLICATIONS for LICENSES

For the sale of

Spirituous and Fermented Liquors,

In the License District of

WEST HASTINGS

For the year 1877-78, must be made to the undersigned at the Committee Room in in Market Buildings, on or before the

FIRST day of APRIL Next

Applicants must come prepared with the names of sureties they propose to offer.

JAMES ROSS,
License Inspector.

March 16, 1877.

GLASS

SYRUP JUGS

(Covered.)

17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

☞ These are New and Cheap.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Mar. 14th, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do A STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT, which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Post Office Block!

AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
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BACK COMBS,
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" MUTTON,
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FROM 7 Cents.

SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,

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Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 13, 1877.

NOTICE.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber on the third day of January last, a Bay Mare; and the owner thereof will take notice that unless she is claimed within 20 days from the date of this notice, and the charges paid for her keeping, I shall proceed to sell her by public auction to pay said charges.

PATRICK O'BRIEN.

March 21st, 1877.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

Express, ... 6.50 a m
Express .. .. 6:10 p m
Mixed .. .. 9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

1 Express, ... 12:05 p m
3 Express .. .. 12:22 a m
Mixed .. .. 9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—
For Stirling at .. .. 8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at .. .. .. 2 p m
" Trenton at.. .. .. 3 p m
Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a. m.

The Daily Ontario.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 28.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

CHANCERY.—At the Chancery Court which opened in Kingston to-day, there were five cases set down for hearing.

ENGLISH MAIL.—An English mail was distributed at the Post Office here last evening.

PROF. BELL.—Those who wish to hear a first-class elocutionist should not fail to attend the readings at the Town Hall to-night.

COMING.—Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination are desirous of appearing here on the 4th prox., and are making arrangements accordingly.

LICENSES.—Those who may desire to procure licenses should bear in mind that all applications should be made not later than Saturday next, as April 1st, comes on Sunday.

BAD PRACTICES.—The breaking of gas lamp globes seems to be as common in Kingston as here. If those who destroyed them were punished, the practice could be put a stop to.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., exhibits the secret of its great popularity and success by wisely maintaining its old standard of excellence since its reduction of rates.

FLIRTING.—Flirting by means of handkerchiefs is a common practice in Oswego, and the Bohemians of that city invariably carry a full supply of wipers for the purpose of indulging in that practice.

The Grand Central Hotel New York, although the largest and finest hotel in the city, will be an exception, hereafter, to to the general complaint of high price. It has reduced from $5.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

CARPENTERING.—At a meeting of carpenters, held in Kingston on Friday evening last, it was decided to ask for wages amounting to $1.50 per day at the lowest, and fifteen cents per hour for short time.

A QUESTION SETTLED.—Rev. J. W. Hunter has settled an interesting question by demonstrating that it was a white shark and not a whale that swallowed Jonah in the Mediterranean Sea. That's hard on Jonah.

ODDFELLOWSHIP.—Grand Master J. Ham Perry of Whitby, assisted by a large number of Oddfellows, dedicated a new Oddfellow's Hall in Kingston, yesterday. The ceremony was public, and was very impressive. The hall is said to be one of the finest in the Dominion.

A SOLID FACT.—According to the St. Catharines *News* the "O'Keefe Legacy" is an established fact and a solid certainty. A policeman of that city expects to get a million out of the estate and start a police force of his own.

SNOWED TO DEATH.—No less than four entertainments take place in Oswego this week. Among the companies that perform there are the Georgia Minstrels, the Holman Opera Troupe and Washburne's Sensation.

MILITARY COLLEGE.—An important addition to the Military College at Kingston in the shape of a building for educational purposes, will be made this year. Mr. William Irving is the contractor and will employ about 100 men.

A DESPERATE MAN.—A Frenchman residing in Montreal made thirteen unsuccessful attempts at suicide in thirteen different ways. He now recommends drowning, and as he is tired of life he should follow that plan.

CORNER STATUARY.—One of these ornaments was picked up by the police yesterday afternoon and lodged in the cells. We cant fancy how these persons can be charged with vagrancy as they have a visible means of support "i e" they lean against the buildings on the corners.

THE RIVER.—Further breaks-up have taken place in the river since our last writing. The blockade is down as far as the rear of the Queen's Hotel, at which locality the water is rapidly rising. The old piers north of the lower bridge were somewhat injured by the jams yesterday, one in particular being pretty well shook up.

GOT HIS DESERTS.—Howard, the chicken-thief, was to-day sentenced by the Police Magistrate to one year's imprisonment in the Central Prison at Toronto. He has been at this business for some time, and only a year ago was sent to jail for a like offence. He is a hard case, and richly deserved what he got.

CROWDED.—The Police Court was crowded to-day—indeed, so great was the rush to get in, that the doors had to be locked. The hall outside contained a large number of would-be spectators, who remained some time in order to learn the result of the cases going on. The Magistrate's receptions of late have been as well attended as any ordinary show.

IMPORTANT.—As our citizens are aware, potatoes are sold on the market by the bag and when the buyer makes a purchase, he is under the impression that the bag contains one and one-half bushels. This however is not the case, as one bag scarcely ever contains so much. If the cental system were adopted. the buyer and seller would meet on a level basis and dishonesty on the part of the latter would thus be avoided.

ATTENTION.—Will "One who lives near" be kind enough to grant a personal interview to the Chief of Police,

HUGH MCKINNON,
Chief of Police.

THE STORM.—This last storm is one of the most disagreeable that has taken place for some time, and bad as the streets were before it, they are many times worse now. The running of the street-cars is a difficult matter, as two horses have now to do the work formerly done by one. There is sufficient snow for sleighing, though the average horse owner did not care much about going out to-day.

"THE LOST TRIBES."—This is the title of a lecture given in Kingston on Wednesday evening. It is to be hoped that the search for the lost children will be continued, and that they will be eventually found, as the subject is now receiving such attention from lecturers that newspapers are overburdened with reports of the lectures on this question. We would advise the offering of a reward for their discovery, and the trouble about the tribes would then cease.

THE MAY HORSE FAIR.—An advertisement in another column announces the holding of the annual May Horse Fair, on the Queen's Birthday, when prizes will be given to the successful exhibitors in the several classes of horseflesh. As buyers form a distance are expected, and as this locality is noted for the excellence of its animals, we would urge on interested parties the desirability of at once taking up their horses and preparing them for that event.

YACHTING NOTES.—It is rumored that the yacht now being constructed by Cuthbert at Cobourg, has been purchased by a young gentleman of Belleville. Mr. Stoneberg is progressing very nicely with the work on the yacht he is building. There is not much more work to be done on her, and she will be ready as soon as the ice leaves the bay. In connection with this boat it is said she will be sold to a party in Trenton. Judge Sherwood informs us that the work of overhauling the Rivet will be begun as soon as the weather permits. It is his intention to have her well and substantially fitted up, and no effort will be spared to make her as speedy as any of her rivals. As the Judge is a devoted yachtman, we hope that satisfactory results may be realized.

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS.—Times are hard, but this does not prevent Belleville from improving. Among the more immediate changes we may mention that, with the opening of Spring, Mr. Robertson will begin the erection of a first-class hotel on the site directly opposite the "Roberts Block." This building will be after the style of the one opposite, and hence an ornament to the town. Mr. Dafoe, we believe, intends putting a Mansard roof on the "Dafoe House," which will increase the accommodation and attractiveness of this popular resort for the travelling public. Mrs. Richardson will have a substantial building, with cut-stone front, erected on the site of her property on Front Street, lately damaged by fire. Other important improvements are contemplated, which will materially increase the beauty of our already "beautiful city."

A WARNING NOTE.—Here is a warning note to those individuals who, first get into trouble; second, are brought before the Police Court, and third, threaten to "bulldoze" every person connected with the newspaper because there name receives a gratuitous insertion in it. The editor of the Rush City (Minn.) Times thus speak of a visit of Dr. Bentley to his sanctum:—"He did not like the reading of our last article, and we don't blame him, for there were a few sayings in it which were a little severe. But he locked arms with us, and we waltzed around the room with him to the tune of high words, and to the infinite delight of the spectators. There were numerous chairs and other furniture in the room, which were speedily demolished and put out of the way. The Doctor got frantic, and kicked over a two gallen jug of ink, which of course we didn't like, because it was new ink, and besides, it spoiled the looks of the floor. We took the Doctor for a sponge and sopped the ink up as quickly as possible. That's what made the Doctor mad. He then shoved us over a chair, and we rolled around for a while, and then we began to feel like fight, and we don't doubt but what we would have had a quarrel very soon, but the Doctor suddenly concluded he didn't care whether we took back what we had said or not, and as there was not any prospect of our taking it back right off, he concluded to quit just as we had got ready to begin."

Police Court.

(Before A. DIAMOND, Esq., P. M.)

WEDNESDAY 28th March, '77

LARCENY.

Nathaniel Weese was charged with stealing about $13.00, the property of Henry Covert. The complainant testified that early in this month he came from Warkworth here and stopped at the prisoner's house, and whilst there the money was taken from the lining of his vest. The witness recognized a dollar note, which with others was found on the prisoner. The witness had $16 00, $3.00 of which was returned. The prosecutor who is a nephew of the prisoner had conversed with the latter on the Sunday previous to the robbery, and he had acknowledged having only $1.00.

Chief McKinnon testified to having searched the prisoner and found the money produced ($17,95) on him. The prisoner had confessed to him of having taken the money, but said he had only done it as a joke.

In reply to the Magistrate the prisoner said he had only taken the money in a joke.

The Magistrate said this act was carrying the joke too far. The taking out of a part of the money and leaving another showed criminal intent. He remanded the prisoner till Saturday for sentence.

CHICKEN STEALING.

Richard Howard, James Galloway and Samuel Howard, were charged with having, on the night of the 22nd, stolen 15 chickens, the property of John Smith.

Prisoners pleaded not guilty, and elected to be tried summarily.

John Smith sworn, said he had lost 15 chickens on Friday night last from his barn. Witness described the missing property, and stated that he could not identify any of the heads found at the prisoner's house in a cheese box.

Helen Gordonier testified that she had lived at Howard's; left last Thursday night and returned on the next day; saw some fowl at the prisoner's house. Witness described the hens and said their appearance agreed with that given by the previous witness. Howard the elder, went out on Friday and stole some more, which were sold by a little boy. Witness asked prisoner where he had got the hens, and he said at Jones' or Smith's near the overhead bridge; prisoner has been stealing hens all winter, and witness thought stole about 400; she did not know anything against Galloway, though one night he came home with Howard and the latter had some hens; prisoner had been advised to stop this practice by his children.

The elder Howard said that the witness did this out of spite and that she asked him to steal.

The witness then admitted that she had sold some of the stolen chickens.

Thomas Jones sworn, said he had lost about 30 hens during the winter; he had seen Howard pass his place with a basket, R. H. Bonter testified to having bought three chickens early in the winter.

Sergeant Snider sworn, said he had heard a conversation between the woman Gordonier and the younger Howard about a box under a bed. He went to the house and found a cheese box full of chicken heads and feathers. Mrs. Gordonier said the heads were taken from the fowls stolen on Friday night.

Mrs. Thompson testified to having lost some chickens, but she couln't recognize any of the heads.

Galloway and the younger Howard were discharged.

Howard was then sworn, and said he was a son of the prisoner; he saw some chickens in the house on Saturday morning; prisoner had stolen chickens pretty often.

Prisoner here declared that the woman Gordonier was worse than he was.

The Magistrate. She must be pretty bad.

Prisoner said he had not stolen any from the time he got out of jail till this woman lived with him. He also said that he had stolen some chickens, but he didn't steal all that was in the country.

A younger son of the prisoner was sworn but he could not state that his father did'nt steal chickens.

The Magistrate said he had a weakness for chickens, and as he had been convicted before, he would send him to the Central Prison for one year.

OBSTRUCTING THE STREET.

John Devany was charged with loitering on the street corner. He was dismissed.

DRUNK.

James Simmons, a tramp, hailing from Hamilton, was charged as above, and allowed to go.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

MONDAY March 26th.

Mr. MACKENZIE brought down a large number of returns, including contracts entered into for Pacific Railway construction, &c.

Mr. BLAKE introduced an amendment to the Post-Office Act, with a view of meeting cases similar to those which recently occurred during the Grand Trunk strike, and an Act suppressing betting and pool selling.

After recess, Mr. BOWELL moved for correspondence respecting the Government deposits in the Ontario Bank from the first of Nov. 1873 to the present time, and charged that a corrupt bargain had been made with the President of that Bank.

Mr. CARTWRIGHT was perfectly willing that the correspondence should be brought down. He denied that the Ontario Bank had received undue favors from the Government. The deposits were not any larger than were required by a bank having an agency at Prince Arthur's Landing, through which it transacted a business of three or four millions of dollars for the Government in the North-West.

Mr. BOWELL repeated his former speech, and ended by making the rather irrelevant insinuation that the Finance Minister had "lost nothing" by his connection with the old Commercial Bank.

Mr. CARTWRIGHT said the hon. gentleman had insinuated what he dared not avow, that he (Mr. Cartwright) had not dealt fairly with the shareholders of the Commercial Bank. It was rather impertinent to refer, as the member for Hastings had done, to a matter of that kind years after the shareholders of the bank had expressed their approvol of his (Mr. Cartwright's) conduct.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD considered that the circumstances connected with the relations between the Ontario Government and the Ontorio Bank were at least suspicious.

Mr. BLAKE twitted the leader of the Opposition on his change of opinion upon the possibility of voiding the South Ontario election in 1874, and went on to show the late Government administration, Dominion and Local, with regard to the Government deposits in banks, and the more equitable system adopted by their successors in office. He pointed out that some of the officials of the Ontario Bank supported the present Government and others the Opposition.

Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD administered a deserved rebude to the member for North Hastings by stating that no blame could attach to the Finance Minister through his connection with the old Commercial Bank.

The motion was then carried.

TUESDAY, March 27.

After routine and other unimportant business the House went into Committee on Mr. Blake's Bill respecting breaches of contract. A few unimportant amendments were made, upon which there was some discussion. The Bill was then reported.

The Act to amend the act relating to the inspection of steamboats was passed through Committee and a few other Bills were advanced a stage before six o'clock.

After recess

The Bill respecting the boundaries of Manitoba was passed.

The House then went into Committee on Mr. Burpee's Bill to amend and consolidate the Customs Acts. The Bill is a very lengthy one, consisting of over 140 clauses. Of these 50 were passed in Committee, with slight amendments, after which the House adjourned.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—The Murphy temperance movement has reached here. At Newark and Crestline, saloons have been closed and saloon keepers joined the movement. Over 11,000 signed the pledge in Newark.

A FATAL CONFLICT.

RICHMOND, Va., March 28.—In a conflict between R. L Scott and Charles Page at Dublin, Pulaski Co., Page and his son were fatally shot. Another son of Page atempted to kill Scott while the latter was in custody.

THE MOUNTAIN MEADOW MASSACRE

TUSCON, Arizona, March 28.—The Tuscon *Star* publishes a copy of what purports to be the original order issued by Assistant Adjutant General Ferguson at Salt Lake, April 19th, 1858 as follows:—"The officer in command of the escort is hereby ordered to see that every man is well prepared with ammunition and to have it ready at the time you see these teamsters a hundred miles from the settlement. President Young advises that they should be all killed to prevent them returning to Bridger to join our enemies. Every precaution should be taken and see that not one escapes. Secrecy is required." The document was found among papers of the late ex-Chief Justice Titus of Arizona, formerly Chief Justice of Utah.

THE PRESIDENT HEARD FROM.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The President in an interview with Chamberlain, manifested great sympathy with the Southern Republicans, and the strongest desire to secure their political and personal rights in such a way as to command the approval of reasonable men of both parties. He wishes to combine justice to the Southern Republicans with conciliation to the Democrats. The President expressed to-day a firm determination not in any way to surrender the rights of the Southern Republicans to the White League Unions or cut throat Rifle Clubs.

THE GREAT REVIVALISTS.

WASHINGTON March 28.—Moody and Sankey will hold services in East Portico of the Capitol next Sunday.

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD.

NEW YORK March 28.—George S. Jenkins a claim agent has been arrested for complicity in the Treasury Fraud at Washington.

A VALUABLE STABLE.

Robert Bonner issued a catalogue of his stables yesterday, showing one hundred trotters worth half a million. None are for sale.

BEQUESTS TO BE INCREASED.

The *Sun* says W. H. Vanderbilt will double the amount of the bequests to the other members of the family before the week.

DISHONEST BANK CLERKS.

Paying Teller Hall, of the Brooklyn Bank, charged with complicity with Bookkeeper Whitney in the recent defalcation, is missing. $10,000 has been traced to Hall.

TWEED'S CASE.

Tweed's Counsel says he will on Friday propose a settlement of Tweed's case. No offer to expose Tweed's transactions with public men will be made, though Tweed might consent to appear against Sweeny.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

SUICIDE.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 28.—Mrs. Luther Haskins, wife of a farmer near Richville, arose from bed last night, hacked her throat with a razor, and left the house. She was found dead this morning a mile from home. She was insane.

TANNERY BURNED.

Salisbury's tannery at Pluaski was burned last night; loss unknown.

HAMPTON MAKES A SPEECH.

WILMINGTON, March 28.—General Hampton, Attorney, General Connor and General Butler arrived this morning. An immense crowd, accompanied by a band met them at the depot. In a speech, Hampton said he would ask in recognition at the hands of the President, he had been fairly elected, and believed if the Democratic party administered the Government of this state, peace, prosperity and happiness would follow.

This and That.

—Jakes beat Dion at billards in Montreal on Saturday by 400 to 392,

—A. S. Mackenzie is appointed measurer and surveyor of shipping for Hamilton.

—No offers are being made, the *Sun* says, to compromise the suits against Connolly.

—It is proposed to employ the steamer Great Eastern to carry live cattle to England.

—Hall, just before his disappearance, bought a tourist's guide to Great Britain and maps of Canada.

Birth.

At Belleville, on the 28th inst., the wife of Mr P. O'BRIEN, Hotel keeper, of a son.

U. S. Express Co., Ackeer, Merrall & Condit, Grocers, use GILES' LINIMENT IODIDE OF AMMONIA in their stables; quite safe, sure and reliable.

ELECTRICITY! THOMAS' EXCELSIOR ECLECTRIC OIL!—WORTH TEN TIMES ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical: J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have cold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

BEWARE OF IMITATION.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Liman are blown in the bottle, and TAKE NO OTHER. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

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This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure o those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

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In all cases of Nervous and Spina Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

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Embroidery Braids,
Silk & Velvet Ribbons,
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JOHN COURTENAY,

March 13, 1877.

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We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.

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Feb. 27, 1877. 1y

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Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

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OLD STAND

agreeable because entrusted us by ladies, and because it honors one whom we know as an able statesman and a true patriot. The Catholic ladies of Lindsay lately held a bazaar in that town, at which they announced their intention to present this cane to the most popular gentleman in the country. So far as that could be ascertained by the votes of those attendingthe bazaar, two candidates only were mentioned, Sir John A. Macdonald and yourself. The poll was kept open for a week, and at the conclusion of the bazaar it was ascertained that you had received the greater number of votes. To a Reformer like yourself it will doubtless be satifactory to know that the election was conducted upon the most advanced Reform principles and with a most extended franchise, ladies as well as gentlemen having voted. We have frequently of late seen events of no greater political significance than a presentation like this interpreted as convincing evidence of a great political reaction. We have no desire thus to interpret this affair. Strong in the esteem and regard of those who follow you, stronger still in the unshaken conviction of the Canadian people in your personal rectitude and political integrity, you can well prove to those who have not the same tangible evidences of public trust to extract from manifestations of loyal or personal regard a political significance which does not fairly attach and a consolation which the authorized channels for the expression of public opinion in the country failed to yield. In the name of the ladies and on behalf of your many friends and supporters in Lindsay and the neighborhood, we ask of you to accept this cane as a slight testimonial of admiration and regard for one whose record proves him the consistent and fearless advocate of entire political equality to all Canadians, irrespective of race or creed."

Mr. Mackenzie said :—"I am certainly obliged, in the first instance, to the Roman Catholic ladies of Lindsay for their kindness in presenting me with this handsome gift, and to you for the kind words you have used in making the presentation. I especially feel your kindness in speaking of the position I have taken in the past in advocating civil rights and the perfect equality of all classes and creeds in the country. I have been brought up in a school in which religious equality, perfect equality in every way, is the predominant principle ; and nothing has given me greater pleasure than to have assisted to some extent during bygone years in giving effect to that principle. This testimony from the town of Lindsay to the predominant feeling of my mind in favour of civil rights and the perfect equality of all religious creeds, I receive with very great gratification, though I am fully aware that any preference that may be exhibited in a local gathering, such as the one at Linday may not be regarded as one of a very extensive nature. Still, I think I may regard this handsome present as an indication of a favourable feeling on behalf of that particular place. I can only say that nothing will give me greater pleasure so long as I remain in public life than to aid in promoting that feeling of harmony among the various Christian denominations which have been for many years the peculiar characteristic of the Canadian people. I happen to know the Rev. Father Stafford, in whose congregation the bazaar was held, and I have long looked upon him as one of the most advanced advocates of the principles of religious equality. I know him to be a gentleman who has distinguished himself in moral reform, and in Christian liberality, and in the generous recognition of other denominations as co-labourers with himself in building up our common country." (Hear, hear,) Mr Mackenzie concluded by asking the deputation to convey to Father Stafford and the ladies of Lindsay his hearty appreciation of their kindness. The party then withdrew. The cane is beautifully mounted with chased gold, and bears the following inscription:—"Voted to Hon. A. Mackenzie at the Roman Catholic Bazaar, Lindsay, February 10th, 1877, and presented to him by the ladies."

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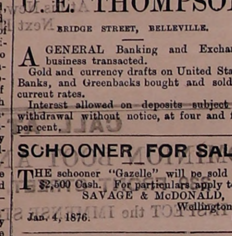

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Office over Price's Flour and Feed Store.

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Government Deposit Fire,	50,000 00
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Total Revenue Fire Premiums & Interest,	$223,775 00
Total Losses,	63,528 00
Invested Funds,	$194,713 00
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On CAMPBELL STREET, Next to METROPOLITAN HALL, on or about the 20th, where they will be better prepared to fill all orders they may be favored with, in the
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Not forgetful of past favours, we hope for a continuance of the same.
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MR. WM. JOHNSTON
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Those indebted to us will Save Costs by immediate payment.
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IMPERIAL MEASURES
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and in fact this establishment turns out every kind of work in this line of business.
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EXPERIENCED WORKMEN!
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Come and see our work on doors, etc., and leave your orders which which will be
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—OF—
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We would call Special Attention to our New Styles of
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ALSO, LADIES' NEWPORT TIES,
All of which willbe sold Cheap for Cash.
No. 367 FRONT STREET.
Next to Geen's Drug Store, Belleville.
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FOR SALE, on favourable terms, the unexpired portion of the lease (favorable offer of renewal) together with the plant, consisting of Sheds, Barn, Office, Office Furniture, Scales, Horses, Carts, Sleighs, Harness, Truck, Waggon, &c., &c.
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A Magnificent Assortment of
UNION CARPETS,
NEW PATTERNS,
—AT—
50, 60 & 75c PER YD.
Call and see them. They are the Cheapest ever offered in Belleville.
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Are now showing New Spring Goods of their own importing, consisting in part of

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French Kid Gloves,
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100 Bbls. Heavy Mess PORK.
25 cases C. C. BACON.
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CHEAP
—AT—
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FOR CASH ONLY.
CHEAP, CHEAP, CHEAP,
GROCERIES
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AT
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RATES OF PASSAGE payable in U.S. Currency NEW YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, or LONDONDERRY.
Cabins, $65 to $80, according to accommodations. Excursion Tickets, $120 to $140.
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STEERAGE always as low as by any other line.
The Passenger accommodations of Anchor Steamers are unsurpassed for elegance and comfort
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All bought especially for this trade.
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CHILDREN'S CLOTHING A SPECIALTY.
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MARBLE WORKS,
J. T. Lattimer, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber would beg to call the attention of his numerous friends in Belleville and surrounding Counties to the fact that he has
REMOVED HIS SHOW ROOMS
To Condon's Block,
East end of the lower Bridge, where will be found always in Stock, every description of
MONUMENTS,
MANTLES,
HEAD-STONES,
and everything in the line of Marble, as cheap as the cheapest in town.
SCOTCH GRANITE MONUMENTS,
always in Stock. Orders solicited. Please call before ordering elsewhere.
Remember the place. Workshop opposite Grand Junction Station. Pinnacle Street. Show rooms and office, corner lower Bridge.
J. T. LATTIMER
Belleville, July 12th, 1876. wtf

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FRESH COD,
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R. & D. are now again able to offer their numerous customers
THE CELEBRATED
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(Which, owing to the FREEZE that extended for sixty miles out of Baltimore, could not be obtained for the past month.
R. & D. will also have in stock a Fresh Supply of those Extra Superior
SUGAR CURED HAMS,
From Messrs. Willard Parker & Co., Detroit.
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Family Grocers and Wine Merchants,
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Opposite Town Hall, BELLEVILLE, Ont.
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March 3, '77, tf

DISCOURAGEMENTS.

BY FRANK H. CONVERSE.

He was superintendent of a small Sunday school in the town of Wherewel'va—a young man with an earnest desire to do his Master's service heartily; but then, perhaps he was over-sensitive in discerning fault-finding with his present methods where none was intended, as in the case of Mr. Thorn, who, having met him one day, remarked sweetly:—

"What can be the cause of the lack of interest in our Sabbath-school, Mr. Harris? I use every effort in my power with my own scholars. Surely there is something wrong."

As Mr. Harris passed Mrs. Steadman's dooryard, that lady, with a garden-hat tilted back on her head and a trowel in her hand, bore down upon him breathless and loquacious. "I've be'n wanting to see you since last Sunday week Mr. 'Arris," she said, leaning over the gate, with unpunctuated discourse, "to speak to you about my Tommy who is in the wing class behind that Donnell boy who's be'n stickin' pins into my Tommy to that degree that his legs is full of holes as a cullender which sir as you know isn't what he goes to Sund'y-school for."

Assuring Mrs. Steadman that the matter should be attended to, Mr. Harris broke away. The Donnell boy—Jerry by name—he had brought out of the street into his school, had taken him under his own personal supervision, and patiently overlooking the ceaseless annoyances to which he was subjected by the antics of Master Jerry, Sabbath after Sabbath he labored and prayed for him earnestly and ceasingly, but to all outward appearance in vain.

"Where was Jerry to-day?" enquired the superintendent of little Nellie Rogers, as, after an unusually orderly session, the school was dismissed on the following Sunday.

Nellie, who was another street waif living in the same locality as Master Jerry, answered with childish gravity. "He's hurted hisself, sur; leastwise, 'twas ould Donnell as, comin' home crazy-like wid liquor, shoved him adown the stairs, and he a thryin' to keep the ould man from abusin' of the mother."

Mr. Harris turned toward "The Point"—a locality where rum shops, sailor boarding-houses, and rotten tenements abounded, and where was the home of the Donnells.

"Ye'd better not go, sur," timidly suggested the little girl. "The men was paid off to the mill yesterday, an' the rum-shops is a runnin' full blast; they beat a man wid thracts this very mornin,' and druv him off."

Leaving little Nellie to trip lightly up the adjacent court, where her mother lived, the young man hastened down the street, and groped his way up a pair of dirty stairs, amid sights, sounds and odors of which those unacquainted with mission labor have no conseption. He found Jerry alone.

"Sure, it's right good of ye to come here, an' me frettin' the life out o' ye wid me thricks," said the boy, with a look of pleasure which utterly changed the expression of his generally expressionless face. "I didn't dare sind for ye, for all I have been wantin' ye so much. Yer mind the Sund'y ye tould us of Him as they crucified, and the thafe—what he said to him?" The superintendent, kneeling by the boy's side and holding his grimy hand, called the Sunday to mind, and how much trouble Jerry had caused him on the self-same day by his apparent inattention. He nodded his head, and the boy went on. "Well, sur, I'm wuss nor thafe was—I've stole, an' lied, an' sweared sence I was a bit of a boy, an' it seems like the coward I am that I'd be axin' ye to say a prayer for me; but I've heard ye tell how patient He was."

I would not, if I could, render the prayer which was then and there put up to heaven for the dying boy.

"The bit of a song that the purty lady wid glasses sung the same time,—d'ye mind?" whispered Jerry as his mother came in.

"Do you want me to sing it, Jerry?" asked Mr. Harris; and when the boy whispered, "Yes, if you plase, sur," the superintendent tenderly sang—

The dying thief rejoiced to see
That fountain in his day,
And there may I, though vile as he,
Wash all my sins away.

"So might the likes of me, mightn't I, sur? on'y it'ud take a deal o' washin'," whispered Jerry. "I'm no good, Lord Jesus; but ye forgiv' the thafe, forgive' me."

A very homely prayer, but I question whether it did not reach the heavenly ear full as soon as Judge Pitman's petition, which was just then being offered for the benighted heathen and the ultimate conversion of the whole world.

With Jerry's prayer came his release. "The boy's death taught me to wait God's time for harvest," said Mr. Harris afterward, "and I wish that I could say that it taught him never to be discouraged at apparent non-success.—*S. S. Times.*

TACKS IN THE CARPET.

BY HOPE LEDYARD.

It is nearly two o'clock, and my "heart is set" on finishing the task I have on hand—taking up the entry carpet, and getting it shaken and laid again, when in rushes Willie: "Mamma, I met Miss Libbie just now, and she says she and Miss Lou are coming to tea, unless I go and tell her you're too busy."

It is not always so? These older Sunday-school girls have been so hard to win, and I have urged them again and again to come to me "at any time," and now—but the chance of winning their hearts is too precious, and, I say, "All right; if you'll help, mamma, Willie, we can get everything in order, and you shall sit up to tea."

The little fellow is delighted and runs up and down, until at last I have been all round the edges of the carpet, and pulling out every tack. "Now Willie, the carpet is loose, and you may roll it up, while I find Fritz to shake it." I come back in a few moments to find Willie tugging at my poor old carpet.

"It won't come up mamma."

In a moment it all comes back to me. I seem to live over again that weary time last year when we were moving. How I had pieced and pieced this carpet, sewing each part carefully, till I grew tired and impatient, and persuaded myself that tacks would do just as well as stitches. "This part of the entry is dark, and no one will know it isn't sewed. I sha'n't be busy next year, and then I'll sew it." And *here* is next year, with all those dreadful tacks to be painfully extracted, the perverse things being well trodden in! It is no use making any moan, and I worked away steadily, resolving to sew the piece strongly to-morrow, and thinking how apt we are in more important things to think that "tacks will do." Our children need daily and hourly thought and care; ah, how often we use *tacks* instead of thread. Tom runs in just as you have begun the book you have been saving for a quiet time. "Mamma, can I go and play with Harry, or shall I bring him here?" "Oh, run along, dear, be a good boy." Somehow you don't feel quite as comfortable as before. You remember how Tom has talked of this new friend of his, whom you hardly know, and how you fully intended to take the first opportunity to study his character. I hope you won't find these tacks have to be lifted out years hence, when Tom has been gradually led away by Harry, who has no Christian influences at home.

How apt we are to resort to shifts—mere shifts—in our home government! The children are allowed to be careless in their dress and manners, at table, till your friend writes that she hopes to spend a few days with you. How you tack on amendments to the poor youngsters' behavior!

"Tom, remember to have clean hands while Miss L. is here. Mary, Mary! you are *shovelling* the food into your mouth. Now, children, I hope you will *all* remember"—(impressively, with a special look at your six-year-old boy, who has been "carting dirt" all the morning)—"to behave your best while Miss L. is here."

Tacks, all of it; and sooner or later, when some clearing or testing time comes, these boys and girls will be found to be merely veneered with good manners,—not innately and truly refined from a steady and quiet home discipline.

Yet to this, as to all things, there is the other side. Tacks are good in their place; and not too many of them either, or too firmly driven in. How many waste time and energy over things of little moment! Such people never "slight" anything, and either wear out or wear out others very soon. Who among us cannot number at least one among his acquaintance who would not use these useful little helps on any account? The rooms must all be swept and dusted, the full complement of pies baked, the sink and tables scrubbed as though we were to eat from them, and the kitchen made to look like a second-class parlor, though servants have left and the work bears her down, and she can be no companion to her husband when he comes home tired at night. Here would be a chance for a right use of "tacks." Have one room neat and pleasant, and let the others "go" for a while. Cook only what is really needful, and for dessert try something easy—see if John does not eat two or three plates full of corn-starch and cream without asking for pie. If your dishes, etc., are clean, shut the door between the kitchen and dining-room, and take the time that the "wonderful housekeeper" would spend in scrubbing, on your lounge, with a copy of some bright cheery paper, something that will lift you above mere dish-washing, so that John need not have his evenings flavored with soap-suds. Let us use tacks when our consciences approve, but beware of them when we want others to think the place has been "hand-sewed."—*Christian Union.*

A SAD EXPERIENCE

THE STORY OF AN EMIGRANT—AN HEROIC GIRL.

Many a story might be told of the privations that beset the emigrant, but the following, which occurred not long ago, will suffice, its exact truth being vouched for on the best authority:—James Stockton lived in a small town in England. Work was very scarce and he, with many others, felt that he could not remain long as he was. The fever to go to America had penetrated the little village, and many were selling what little they had at a sacrifice to get means to come to this country, where they thought all was prosperity. Stockton had a brother who had gone to the United States and was reported as doing well. He determed to hunt him up, and, if work was plenty, to send for his family. Although he had no idea of the size of the country to which he was going, and did not know where his brother was located, he thought it would be a very easy matter to find him. He soon discovered his mistake.

After wandering about for some time he finally found good employment in a little place not far from Cleveland. Time passed and he gave up all hope of finding his brother and prepared to return to his family in England. One day a fellow-workmen asked his name, telling him that a man named Wm. Stockton was a neighbor to him. He felt that he had found his long lost brother, and was so rejoiced that he could not finish his day's work. He found his brother comfortably situated with a family around him, and it made him long to have his dear ones also come. He wrote to have them prepare, as he would send passage tickets in a short time.

He procured the tickets and was about to send them, when he received a letter from England. It was a long and affectionate message from his wife, telling him that she was all ready to come, and would bring to him a little child four months old, born to them after his departure from home. She spoke of the joy she would have in making the journey, knowing that she would soon see him. The poor women little thought that her journey of life was nearly over. At the end of the letter was a few lines from her oldest child, a girl fifteen years of age, informing him that, on the next morning after her mother had written the letter, the children heard the little baby crying, and as the mother's voice was not heard, one of them went to see what was the matter, and found the mother dead in bed with the child clasped in her arms. This left the care of five small children to this girl of fifteen years, and she asked her father what she should do. As he had a good situation here, he decided to have them come.

The little nurse started with her charge. She knew nothing of traveling and consequently her difficulties were many. When one or two days out on the ocean the babe took sick, and all the others were more or less seasick. As the child grew worse, she applied to the physician for medicine. He ordered her to give the child a warm bath each morning. She went to the cook for the warm water, only to be gruffly ordered off with the remark that he had no time to trouble with the matter. Repeated attempts proved no better, and being too timid to apply to others for aid, she could do nothing for the little sufferer. New York was reached at last, and she thought her journey almost over. The children were delighted with the thought that they would soon see their father. But a two days' journey on the cars still awaited them.

The babe grew worse, and on the last day it died in her arms. She dared not tell any one of the fact, for fear the child would be taken from her and then her father could not see it. The train made a longer stop than usual at a certain place, and the children went out on the platform for exercise. A lady, noticing so many children alone, went and talked with them. She drew aside the cloak from the little one's face and saw that it was dead. The poor girl begged so piteously that she might be allowed to take it the few more miles that she had to go, that a small

coffin was procured and the dead babe laid in it. The children started once more on their way, the young nurse carrying the coffin on her lap.

The father was reached in due time at the home of his brother, and the poor child laid the little coffin on the floor and gave herself up to her long pent grief, telling though her tears how much she had suffered and how she had prayed that she might bring the babe alive to her father.

Such was the experience of James Stockton. It was a sad trial for him, but he is comforted with the thought that such a noble daughter is spared to him.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 31.

THE Conservatives have held a caucus with the view of deciding on what course to pursue when the tariff debate is resumed. Let them take the advice of the London *Times* and discontinue their "mad theories."

No more popular member sits in the House of Commons, using the term in its most comprehensive sense, than the genial, witty representative of South Wentworth—Mr. Joseph Rymal. When he entered the House last Wednesday, after a fortnight's absence through illness, he was greeted with a hearty round of cheers from all sides. Sir John Macdonald afterwards crossed the floor and enquired as to his health, and indulged in a pleasant chat with "Honest Joe."

THE New York *World*, as the leading Democratic paper in the United States, is one of the most intelligent and influential of the American press. Recently it has had something to say about the way in which the provisions of the Washington Treaty are interpreted, so far as they refer to the navigation of American rivers and canals. The *World* thinks Canadians have a just right to complain, whereas they are debarred from the use of the Hudson while American boats may come up from New York, through the St. Lawrence canals, and through other canals and rivers not mentioned in the Treaty.

AT a Tory caucus on the 28th inst., the Anglin business was the *piece de resistence* under discussion, as it has become a difficult case to handle. Mr. Bowell has asked to be relieved of the responsibility of making the threatened motion, on the ground of policy—he being an Orangeman and the Speaker a Roman Catholic. Strong influence has been brought to bear on Mr. Costigan to take up the cudgels, which he could to better advantage than Mr. Bowell, he being a Roman Catholic. This offer Mr. Costigan flatly refused, and, as a consequence, considerable ill feeling was shown. In like manner Mr. Domville and others were approached, but declined with thanks. It therefore appears that Mr. Bowell will have to go on with the subject, or let it drop.

THE ERRATIC PHILOSOPHER.

Mr. Goldwin Smith is like Banquo's ghost—he cannot be kept down. He has a *penchant* for political economy, and believes himself a born philosopher in this particular branch of jurisprudence. His efforts to convert Canadians to the philosophy he teaches were not successful; but Mr. Smith is still resolute. Being in England at the present time, he has once more come to the front with a pronuncaimento on Canadian politics and the destiny of the Dominion, as determined by his horoscope. He writes to the *Times* authoritatively, for has he not been a resident of Canada for several years, and had ample opportunity to study our laws and habits? At any rate, Mr. Smith assures the English people through the great London organ that what he knows about Protection and Free Trade, as advocated by political parties at Ottawa, is worth listening to. He has no confidence in anything that must depend on party or partizan support. The protectionist movement he believes to be nothing more than an alternative, desperately adopted in the face of inevitable ruin to our manufacturing industries. According to Mr. Smith's philosophy, neither Free Trade nor Protection can save us from commercial decadence as a nation. He speaks of tariff adjustments on the basis of existing laws in Britain, but practically such a fiscal policy seems an impossibility, and Mr. Smith does not tell us just how the arrangement may be successfully carried out. But the panacea for all the evils to which we are subjected lies not so much in the adjustment of our tariff as in a free commercial intercourse with the United States. In order that this may be obtained, Mr. Smith would have all the custom houses that dot the border line removed. There should be no duties levied on goods passing to and fro. The productions of both countries should be allowed to pass unrestricted. Then, and not till then, would Canada become commercially prosperous, and "hard times" known no more. This, in short, is what the erratic philosopher, the ex-Professor of Oxford, would bring about had he the influence to do so. But, fortunately for Canada as an integral part of the British empire, his theories are not likely to find favor. Such a commercial Zollverein as he proposes could not be established without ultimately forcing us into annexation with the United States. To admit American goods into Canada free, while a duty equal to the protectionist vote that prevails south of the line is charged to English importations, would prove the inevitable ruin of British connection. It would be such a discrimination as our loyalty to the Queen and Throne of England, strong and sincere as it is, could not practice without being susceptibly weakened.

DAMAGING REVELATIONS.

The Northern Railway investigation is becoming intensely interesting. As we intimated on Thursday, certain developments have been made which places Sir John Macdonald in a rather tight place. The discoveries were made by the Committee, and a subsequent examination of Mr. Cumberland confirmed the very damaging testimony. Among the suspicious entries are numerous small items for dinners, entertainments, cigars, wines, &c., &c. Mr. Guthrie, who so ably conducts the investigation, drew from Mr. Cumberland that two drafts mentioned had been drawn upon him by Sir John, in aid of Sir Francis Hincks' election as Finance Minister in 1869. The drafts were for $500 each. "A person" had asked him to subscribe to Sir Francis Hincks' election and he consented. The "person" thus interested turned out to have been Mr. C. J. Campbell, a broker of Toronto, and brother of Senator Campbell. Mr. Cumberland supposed that he (the broker) and Sir John had talked the matter over between them, and that the arrangements were well understood. Other and similar payments were then brought up, and the witness' memory being somewhat refreshed by sundry hints he recollected that on the 9th and 13th of Aug., 1872, he had paid $1,000 to the general election expenses of that year. He had also cashed two drafts each of $500 in aid of J. B. Robinson's election expenses in Algoma. The witness reluctantly confessed that the Company had no knowledge of these subscriptions, as they were of a confidential character. Senator Campbell was an active member of the Conservative party in Toronto and frequently applied to witness for money. He (Mr. Cumberland) had no doubt Sir John was aware of the contributions he made. Further interesting disclosures in reference to the stock of the Toronto *Mail*, in which Mr. Cumberland and Mr. Angus Morrison were jointly concerned, were brought to light, and the Committee adjourned in the midst of general excitement. But the end is not yet.

Editorial Notes.

THERE is a possibility of Lord Dufferin being offered the position of British Minister to Washington.

THE fourth day's polling on the Dunkin Act in York shows a majority of 420 for the Bill.

MR. J. B. ROBINSON will move on Monday that hereafter voting on the Dunkin Act shall be by ballot.

THE Windsor Hotel Co., Montreal, has taken suit against six shareholders who have refused to pay calls on stock.

HAWKENS, who lately threw pepper into the eyes of a dry-goods clerk, at Ottawa, has been sentenced to three months' hard labor in the common jail.

MR. ARTHUR HARDY, the new Provincial Secretary of Ontario, was re-elected by acclamation at Burford on Thursday.

TOM ALLEN, the pugilist, has had an interview with Earl Dufferin at Rideau Hall, with which he was immensely pleased.

THE *Leader* has made a "big push," and all the world is dumb-struck at the old woman's enterprise. By some mysterious means, the report of the Draper investigation was published in that paper on Thursday, before anybody else had an idea what it contained.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

FOURTH SESSION—THIRD PARLIAMENT.

THURSDAY, March 29.

After routine business, a short discussion took place as to the time the House should adjourn and re-assemble after the Easter vacation. It was ultimately decided to adjourn this evening until three o'clock on Monday next.

Mr. MACKENZIE'S Bill to authorize the transfer of the Pictou and Truro branch of the Intercolonial Railway to the person or company constructing a line of railway from New Glasgow to the Strait of Canso and providing a proper ferry across the Strait, was read the third time, an amendment by Mr. Mitchell to give the Government control over the branch in the transportation of coal, having been defeated by a vote of 88 to 44.

The remainder of the sitting until six o'clock was spent in discussing in Committee the Bill to establish a Court of Maritime Jurisdiction in Ontario.

After recess,

The amendments made by the Senate to the bill for the prevention of gambling practices in certain public conveyances were concurred in.

Mr. BLAKE'S Bill to provide for the employment without the walls of common jails of prisoners sentenced to imprisonment therein passed its second reading.

A number of other public Bills having been advanced a stage without discussion, the House went into Committee on the Joint Stock Company's Act. The Bill passed through Committee with a number of unimportant amendments.

Mr. MILLS' North-west Territories Bill was also passed in Committee.

The House then adjourned.

GRIP'S LATEST.

This week's edition of Grip is more than usually attractive. The Cartoon represents Sir John, as Minister of the Secret Service, in a characteristic posture behind the desk and with two hogs heads of funds standing near by. The following notices are suspended from the walls: "Golded Text—No matter who is in office, the Tories are always in power;". "Business strictly Secret and irresponsible to Parliament;" "Department of Secret Recouping. The only Gov't Department managed by the Opposition. Invented by Sir John A., without authority of Mackenzie or the Constitution." On a desk immediately beneath this notice are two bags marked respectively:—"$600—due to Brother Pope for (?)," and "$6,000—due to friend Campbell for (?)." Opposite we find—"Notice. Vivat John A. Financial claims against the late Administration paid here. By order of John A. the general manager of the Dominion." "No books or Accounts kept." In bold letters on the desk we read; "Mackenzie is responsible to the Crown for all business done here," which, coming after the above, is ridiculously amusing.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MORNING DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

FATALLY STABBED.

NEWPORT, March 31.—At Tiverton yesterday, Phillip Durfee was probably fatally stabbed with a butcher knife, by Darius Manchester. Both were killing hogs and were intoxicated.

THAT MASSACRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Joseph Clews, implicated in Lee's confession, publishes a statement declaring he left Mountain Meadow before the massacre occurred. Higbee and Lee were guilty participants. While Clews was on the way home he met two messengers from Brigham Young with orders to save the emigrants.

A RESULT OF ILLICIT DISTILLING.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 31.—Revenue officers while endeavoring to arrest Hamilton Snyder in Ashe County, for illicit distilling, recently, were restrained by Hamilton's father who was shot dead. Hamilton was fatally and his brother dangerously wounded.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

MILFORD, Pa., March 31.—Austin Sheldon, a hermit, who has been living in a cave for forty years, was found frozen to death near the cave entrance on Wednesday.

WASHINGTON SPECIALS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The *Times* says Chamberlain declined the Swiss Mission. He says he will be Governor or a private citizen.

The *World* says extreme Republicans are opposed to Hampton, and vent their feelings by open indignation. It is regarded as certain that the President will solicit from Hampton some general promise in writing, that he will make no distinctions on the color line. Hampton will doubtless accede.

The *Tribune* says it is reported on respectable authority that a bargain has been already made with three Southern Republican Senators and thirteen Republican representatives of the House to act hereafter with the Democrats on all political questions. Hayes' friends think this will only promote dissension among the white people of the South and hasten the fruitage of the President's policy.

FIRE IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 31.—A fire at Ellis' clothing store, Greenwich St., last night spread to the adjacent premises, causing a loss of $50,000.

AN EXPERIMENT.

Twenty car loads of silks, teas, &c., which left San Francisco March 20th, arrived here last evening. This is an experiment to show English importers from China and Japan that the trans-American route offers them the best and speediest conveyance.

THE STEVENS BATTERY.

An agent of a foreign Government is negotiating for the purchase of Stevens Battery.

A FIEND ARRESTED.

Franz Scharnagel has been arrested on a charge of fatally burning a brother workman in the Hoboken Brewery by means of Kerosene. Scharnagel had been guilty of many serious practical jokes.

EUROPEAN.

HALL'S WHEREABOUTS.

LONDON, March 31.—A telegram from Liverpool this a. m. says:—Oakey Hall has taken a ticket to London; he missed the 11 o'clock train and will probably go at noon.

THE CHICO MASSACRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—A Chico despatch says:—The confession of J. M. Swain, a member of the Council of Nine, agrees with previous published statements of deliberate plans laid, involving the destruction of property and taking of life of both whites and Chinese. Among those who were proposed as fit subjects of murder was Hon. John Bidwell, candidate for Governor on the Independent ticket in the last campaign, on account of his employing Chinamen on his ranche.

AFTERNOON DESPATCHES.

AMERICAN.

HAMPTON LEGALLY ELECTED.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Judge Northrup, of South Carolina, a Republican, says: "The Democrats believe as they do in their existence that Hampton received 1,000 majority and is the lawfully elected Governor. The people will do as Hampton says, and it looks as if North Carolina and Virginia would too. I don't want to see the State pass into the hands of the Democracy, but I don't want to see it go to the devil either. If Hampton becomes Governor peace would follow, and with it protection to all people alike, and property would at once become enhanced in value by 25 per cent."

BURNED TO DEATH.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., March 31.—A tenement house occupied by Peter Burns' family at Rhinecliff was burned this morning. Mrs. Burns and four children were burned to death, and two children badly injured by jumping from a window. Mr. Burns was not at home. Incendiarism was the cause.

OAKEY HALL.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—The steamer Victoria from Boston, March 17th, has arrived. A representative of N. Y. State press, who is personally acquainted with, and has been on the lookout for Oakey Hall several days, boarded the Victoria this morning. He learned that a gentleman answering Hall's description was on board under the name of Sutliff. At daylight Hall was in the cabin examining the log, and was immediately recognized. He has about a fortnight's growth moustache and side whiskers, and was dressed in old clothes, dark blue shirt, red scarf, small common cap and spectacles, instead of his customary eye glasses. The reporter adds: "I asked to see him privately, and he led the way to his stateroom. I said that Oakey Hall disappeared from New York a fortnight ago, and was believed to be on the steamer "Victoria." Hall replied: "Well, what of that" I told him I knew Hall perfectly by sight, and that he was the man. He replied, I was mistaken. I told him I knew he was Hall, and his family was terribly anxious, and his friends in New York much excited about him. He asked why they should be excited, and then made a remark about the weather in an unconcerned way, and went out to breakfast. He repeatedly denied that he was Hall, and told me he was on his way to Bristol. After breakfast we left the ship. As I helped him down the ladder he asked me if I had found my friend yet. He now wore an old ulster overcoat. In landing he went to the office of Warren & Co., agents of the Victoria, thence to the telegraph office, and finally to the North Western Railway station, where he took a second-class ticket and left by the noon train for London.

Squibs and Things.

—Clean the streets, clean the cellars, clean the yards, clean wherever any of the winter's accumulations have found a resting place, clean everywhere and you and your family will enjoy health.

—This entire community is tired of winter, and cordially unites with the adorer of Gentle Annie in wishing that the springtime would come!

—It seems that the pioneers are the unhealthiest class of people in the world. Scarcely a week passes by but we have to record the death of one of them.

—The fashionable shade of hair for 1877 is Titian red. Married women with dark hair, however, will continue to look with disfavor upon any stray Titian red hair they find on their husband's coat collars.

—When the head of the family comes home at a late hour, deposits his weary self on the top of the piano, and while gently tickling the keys with his major toe, murmurs something about the annoyances of a squeaking bed, it is safe to draw conclusions.

—Numerous house-keepers are complaining about being swindled in the purchase of a cheap fluting machine, which requires a wire attachment that the purchaser is required to have built. The attachment proves to be the more extensive part of the machine.

—In the economy of nature nothing is wasted, and the mud which lies so deep in our streets now will be turned to dust in summer for the purpose of giving employment to the street sprinkler.

—The fast Scottish mail, known as the Flying Dutchman, ran off the track on Saturday, killing five persons instantly and wounding a large number of others.

This and That.

—Hayes is said to have pledged himself to support Hampton.

—Great damage has been caused in Maine by the recent freshet.

—Business is reported as being at a complete standstill in the island of St. Thomas.

—The majority for the Dunkin Act by-law in York is 420 for the four days' polling.

—A despatch from Rome states that the Pope has completely recovered from his indisposition.

—Hon. Mr. Hardy was yesterday elected by acclamation as the representative of South Brant in the Local Legislature.

—The Turkish Government has ordered the mobilization of the army of the Vilayet of the Danube, numbering 35,000 men.

—It is stated that Mr. Layard, British Minister at Madrid, will be appointed Minister at Constantinople in the absence of Sir Henry Elliot.

—The Cuban Government is about to levy a tax of thirty per cent. on business profits, expecting thereby to raise a sum of over seventeen millions.

—The "Monetary Times" says Mr. Blake's Bill making certain breaches of contract criminal, is sure to pass in spite of a somewhat unexpected opposition.

NOTICE.

ON behalf of the Committee I announce that the approaching Ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will not be a Dress Ball, as rumor afloat announces.

T. McNABB, Chairman Com.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875,

HARDWARE STOCK FOR SALE BY TENDER.

TENDERS for the assets en bloc of the estate of

JOHN LEWIS & CO.,

of Belleville, will be received by the undersigned until the 13th APRIL, 1877, the security offered to be named in the Tenders. The Assets consist of

Stock in Trade, amounting to about	$17,000
Book Debts " " "	5,250
Bills Receivable " " "	1,700

The stock, inventory, and list of debts can be seen, and all information obtained from Mr. James Hambly, on the premises, who is instructed to afford every facility to intending purchasers.

THOMAS DARLING, Assignee.

182 St. James Street, Montreal, 29th March, 1877. td

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT a Court will be held, pursuant to the Voters' Lists Act of 1876, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Hastings,

At the COURT HOUSE,

IN BELLEVILLE, ON

THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1877,

At Ten O'Clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of Belleville for 1877.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

R. NEWBERRY, Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated at Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Belleville, March 29, 1877. td

EASTER SUNDAY

Encourage a good old English custom and wear Something New on Easter Sunday. If it be a Shirt Collar, Necktie, Silk Handkerchief, or a pair of Gloves,

A. E. FISH & CO'S Is the Place to Get them

TAKE NOTICE!

THAT THE

Balance of the Stock

—OF—

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

AND

WOODENWARE!

Of the Estate of the

LATE JAMES KENNEDY,

WILL BE SOLD

At Whatever can be Got for it,

IN ORDER TO CLEAR IT OUT.

IN THE OLD STAND,

Opposite Smith's Tin Store,

BELLEVILLE

JAMES HENNESSY.

Mortgage Sale Of Valuable Farm Property.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION in pursuance of the power of sale continued in a certain mortgage which, will be produced at the time of sale, on SATURDAY 7th DAY OF APRIL AD. 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in the Town of Belleville, the following farm property namely:—All that certain parcel or tract of land and hereditaments situate in the Township of Marmora, in the County of Hastings, in the Province of Ontario, being composed of Lot Number Nine in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Marmora, containing by admeasurement Two Hundred Acres, more or less. The greater portion of the land is heavily timbered with Beech and Maple. Also a large quantity of Hemlock and Basswood. A great part of the property is good tillable land. The property lies within a mile of Marmora village. Terms made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to Bell & Bell, Solicitors, Belleville.

BELL & BELL. Vendors Solicitors.

Belleville 17th March 1877. d6iw3i.

The Celebrated Imported

CLYDESDALE HORSE, "Scott's Fusileer,"

The property of GEO. HOGGARD, Belleville

FARMERS wishing to improve their stock will find it to their interest to call on him this season.

He will be found at his stable during the whole season.

Terms and Pedigree may be seen at the Anglo-American Hotel.

People coming from a distance will be kept over night, Free of Charge.

March 28, 1877. d&w3m

THOMAS GARDNER.

SLATE-ROOFER, plain and ornamental plasterer, &c. Centre pieces made to order. Thirty years experience. Reference, Hon. Robert Read, Mr. W. E. Holton, Marchmont, Rev. Mr. Bird.

EXTRA CHOICE

SUGAR CURED HAMS BREAKFAST BACON, SPICED ROLLED BACON, DRIED BEEF, JUST RECEIVED.

GEO. WALLBRIDGE, Grocer and Wine Merchant.

Feb 1st, 1877.

GO AND SEE.

THE AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN

CHEAP HAIR STORE

PROF. LAVOIE

(de PARIS) the Experienced and Skilful

Ladies Hair Dresser,

ORNAMENTAL HAIR WORKER

—AND—

Practical WIG MAKER,

Begs to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Belleville and vicinity that he will open

A BRANCH HAIR STORE,

In connection with the PRINCE OF WALES HAIR DRESSING ROOMS,

No. 304 FRONT STREET,

On or about APRIL 2nd.

The Store will be under the management of MISS BARRETT, a lady of experience in this line.

March 24, 1877. tf

HOUSE FOR SALE.

A NEW BRICK HOUSE, with all modern conveniences, in a good situation on Taylor's Hill, Cheap.

Apply at This Office, or Box 250.

GOOD GOODS CHEAP.

—o—

GREAT REDUCTION! IN PRICES.

—o—

CLEARING SALE.

—o—

MAKING READY FOR NEW GOODS.

N. H. Peterson,

No. 319 Front St., BELLEVILLE, Ont.

Feb. 7th. 1877.

GO TO A. N. PRINGLE'S

FOR

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, &c.

The following prices serve to show the GREAT REDUCTION he has made in ALL WORK for 1877:

1¼ Inch Four Pannel Door	$1.00
Blinds, per foot	20cts

All other work in proportion to the above prices.

PLANING

As CHEAP and BETTER than at any other place in town.

REMEMBER that he is

DETERMINED NOT TO BE UNDERSOLD.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Feb. 14th, 1877. d&w3m

THERMOMETERS.

We have Just Received an assortment of

THERMOMETERS!

MADE BY

The Howard Manufacturing Company,

Especially esteemed for their accuracy.

L W YEOMANS & CO

Front, opposite Hotel St.

Or N. E. Corner Bridge and Front Streets.

Dissolution of Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of "Moore & Cox," at Belleville, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John Cox, by whom all claims against the said partnership will be settled.

GEO. W. MOORE, JOHN COX.

Dated at Belleville this 27th day of March, A. D. 1877.

WITNESS—H. PRETTY.

To Tavern Keepers, Shop Keepers. WHOLESALE MERCHANTS, BREWERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that all

APPLICATIONS for LICENSES

For the sale of

Spirituous and Fermented Liquors,

In the License District of

WEST HASTINGS

For the year 1877-78, must be made to the undersigned at the Committee Room in the Market Buildings, on or before the

FIRST day of APRIL Next.

Applicants must come prepared with the names of sureties they propose to offer.

JAMES ROSS, License Inspector.

March . 1877

GLASS SYRUP JUGS

(Covered.)

17c, 30c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, and $1.75 each.

These are New and Cheap.

F. H. ROUS & Co

Belleville, Mar. 14t, 1877.

THE CASH SYSTEM.

It is well known that we have adhered more closely to the CASH SYSTEM than merchants generally, and in consequence have been enabled to BUY FOR CASH in the BEST MARKETS; keep a LARGER STOCK sell SUPERIOR GOODS, and at LOWER PRICES than could have been possible if A LARGE CAPITAL had been locked up in outstanding accounts.

That there are REAL ADVANTAGES to both buyer and seller by CASH PURCHASES is universally acknowledged and on entering our fourteenth year we have determined to do a STRICTLY CASH BUSINESS, feeling sure that if a PARTIAL ADHERENCE to it has been an advantage to our customers and to ourselves, a STRICT ADHERENCE will enable us to offer still greater inducements than heretofore.

One of the great hinderances to successfully enforcing CASH PAYMENTS in the BOOT & SHOE business, is the increasing practice of TAKING GOODS ON APPROVAL. Some find this a great convenience, and pay promptly for what they keep; others with good intentions when selecting the goods, are afterwards prevented, by various causes, from paying immediately, and so it becomes A CREDIT transaction; while many make use of the practice for obtaining CREDIT. which would have otherwise been refused.

To meet this difficulty we shall in future expect those taking goods on approval to PAY WHEN SELECTING for those likely to suit, the money being refunded in case we are unable to please, or we will send the parcel and allow sufficient time for fitting, when the BILL FOR THOSE KEPT MUST BE PAID and the balance returned.

Among many of our best and most satisfactory customers are those who have RUN ACCOUNTS FOR SHORT DATES and paid immediately when the bill was rendered, or have HAD GOODS ON APPROVAL and paid promptly for what was kept. They will please accept our sincere thanks; but while FULLY APPRECIATING FORMER DEALINGS we can make NO EXCEPTIONS to the general rule, and therefore we trust that customers WILL NOT, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, ASK FOR CREDIT, but spare themselves the annoyance of being refused, and us the unpleasantness of refusing.

We shall continue to keep a FULL AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK, and to sell at such PRICES as will ensure to ourselves a LARGE CASH TRADE, and to our customers satisfactory returns for their money. The above arrangement will be fully enforced on and after the First of April, and we believe the course adopted will commend itself to all.

HAINES & LOCKETT.

Belleville, March 3rd, 1877.

Post Office Block! AT REYNOLDS'.

OPENED TO-DAY

NEW CELLULOID CORAL SETS,
" " EARRINGS,
" " BROOCHES,
" " CROSSES,
" " BRACELETS,
" " CHAINS,
" " LOCKETS,
BACK COMBS,
BLACK CARD BOARD,
" MOTTOES,
SHADED "
PLAIN "
SPATTERED "

FROM 7 Cents.

SPLINTS, Assorted Colors, Very Lowest Prices, at

J. C. REYNOLDS,

3 doors West Post Office

Agent for Great Western Railway and all Connections.

March 13, 1877.

TO LET.

THE residence formerly occupied by Erastus Holden, Esq. Possession given May 1st, 1877. Apply to

H. E. HOLDEN.

Also two brick houses to let on Church St.

H. E. HOLDEN.

Belleville, March 24, 1877. 6i

BELLEVILLE CHURCH DIRECTORY

EPISCOPALIAN.

CONGREGATION OF ST. THOMAS' CHURCH.
Morning service in Town Hall at 11 a.m. Evening Service in Town Hall, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S
Afternoon Service on Sundays at 4½ p. m. Evening Service on Tuesday at 7½ p. m.
Rev. J. W. Burke, B. A., Rector.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST BELLEVILLE.
Service—Sunday 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Service Wednesday evening, 7 p. m. Communion, 3rd Sunday in the month.
Rev. R. S. Forneri, B. A., Incumbent.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, STATION ROAD.
Service, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month. Service every Thursday evening at 7.30. Seats free.
Rev. J. R. Jones, Incumbent.

ROMAN CATHOLIC (ST. MICHAEL'S).

CHURCH STREET.
Morning Mass at 7:30 a. m. ; High Mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 3·30 p. m.
Rev. James Farrelly, V. G.

METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.

BRIDGE STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service, 11 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. Lecture, Tuesday evening, 7:30. Prayer Meeting Friday evening at 7:30. Strangers met at the door and escorted to seats.

WEST BELLEVILLE.
Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Evening 7 p. m. Seats free.

KINGSTON ROAD CHURCH.
Sunday School, 10 a. m. Afternoon Service, 3 p. m. Seats free.
Rev. E. B. Harper, Rev. S. P. Rose, Ministers.

BLECKER STREET CHURCH.
Morning Service 11 a. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Seats free
Rev. T. H. Cullen, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL METHODIST.

CORNER OF CHURCH AND GREAT ST. JAMES STS.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m.

UNIVERSITY CHURCH, NEAR ALBERT COLLEGE.
Divine Service—Sabbath at 7:00 p. m , and Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Rev. B. Lane, B. A., Pastor.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.

Morning Service at 11 a. m. ; Evening Service at 7. Bible Class and Sabbath School at 3 Weekly Prayer Meeting, Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Rev. John Burton, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN (ST. ANDREWS).

CHURCH STREET.
Services—Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. Sabbath School, 3 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Friday at 7 p. m.
Mission Sabbath School, at Northcott's School House, at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. W. Mo..ean, M. A., Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Hotel Street,
Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 2½ p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ p. m.
Rev. A. O. Cossar, Pastor.

BIBLE CHRISTIAN.

Services—Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6½ p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. in the new Bible Christian Church, Front Street, West.
Rev. J. Wickett, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Coleman Street, West Belleville.
Morning service at 11 o'clock ; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sunday School, at 3 p. m.
Rev. Alex. Turnbull, Pastor.

Travellers' Guide.

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE.

GOING WEST.

No. 2 Express,	6.50 a m
No. 4 Express,	6:10 p m
Mixed	9:45 a m

GOING EAST.

No. 1 Express,	12:05 p m
No. 3 Express,	12.22 a m
Mixed,	9:45 p m

STAGE ROUTES.

Stages leave the principal hotels for the undermentioned places as follows:—

For Stirling at	8 a m and 2 p m
" Madoc and Smithville at	2 p m
" Tweed and Bridgewater at	2 p m
" Trenton at	3 p m

Stages from Stirling arrive at 11 a. m., and 5 p. m., from Trenton at 10 a. m. and those from the other places named at about 11 a.

The Daily Ontario.

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 31.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Cells.—There were five tramps and two prisoners in the lock-up last night.

Spring Opening.— Foster, Barber & Brignall announce their spring opening for Thursday next.

Canal Opening.—A telegram from St. Catharines states that the Welland Canal will be opened about the 14th of April.

Found Dead.—A character known as Blind Tom was found dead on the street in Mill Point on Wednesday.

Meeting.—The Town Council holds its regular fortnightly meeting on Monday evening next.

Personal.—Our local members have returned home to spend their parliamentary holidays. George H. Pope returned home this morning from his western trip.

Horse Distemper.—A horse distemper still prevails in the vicinity of Flinton. Mr. Wm. Lansing recently lost a valuable colt by this peculiar disease.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., exhibits the secret of its great popularity and success by wisely maintaing its old standard of excellence since its reduction of rates.

Spring Opening.—The show rooms of Messrs. Geo. Ritchie & Co., will be opened for the season on Wednesday the 4 h April.

The Market.—Considering the state of the roads, the market was very fairly attended and a large quantity of produce was offered and disposed of.

The Grand Central Hotel New York, although the largest and finest hotel in the city, will be an exception, hereafter, to to the general complaint of high price. It has reduced from $5.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

A Big One.—A maskinonge measuring 4 feet 3 inches long; 9 inches through, and weighing 34½ pounds, was captured in the Trent at Campbellford on Saturday last.

Bible Reading.—On Monday Evening Rev. W. H. Walker will give his Bible Reading on "The Christian perfect and the Perfect Christian" in the hall of "Daniel's Band" commencing at 8 o'clock.

Crowded.—The police court room was again crowded to-day and quite a number were in the hall outside unable to gain admission. Much annoyance was caused the court owing to the noise of those who could not get in and one who was too demonstrative was locked up.

Physic-ed.—Mr. Waldron, of Brighton practising medicine without being a registered practitioner, was fined $10 and costs on Monday last. The prosecutor was a Mr. Moore. This is the second case of this kind which has taken place in Brighton.

A Fraud.—A man giving the name of Burnham recently victimized Mr. Proctor of Brighton out of $15 by giving him a cheque on a bank at Ottawa, and purporting to endorsed by a villager. Burnham represented that he was connected with the Fishery Department.

Ship Building.—At Chaffey & Pearce's ship yard at Portsmouth, quite an active business is being done, as in addition to the work on the Rochester, a $16 000 steam yacht, a $25,000 tug and a small steamer are being built.

That Yachting Challenge.—The challenge which we copied from the *News* on Thursday, has been widely commented on here, but as yet no one seems inclined to take it up. Yacht owners don't be backward in coming forward.

A Confession.—In a paragraph on yachting, the *Whig* man discourseth thus: "Kingston has three or four very good yachts; but we needn't delude ourselves or the public that they are the peers of the lake. Belleville has a fleet unequalled in the Province, and we say this because we have been fully convinced of the fact." Thanks.

Seed Catalogue.—We have received the Seed Annual of D. M. Ferry & Co., of Detroit, Mich., which is one of the most complete and attractive publications of the kind we have ever seen. The information it furnishes must prove of much interest to agriculturists, horticulturists and floriculturists. Price, 25 cts. D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich.

Good Friday.—The day was generally observed as a holiday and with the exception of saloons and hotels, business was suspended. Services were held in several of the churches and the congregations which attended them were quite large. During the day the streets were very quiet but in the evening the police were annoyed by the conduct of those who had been imbibing somewhat freely. But two arrests even made.

An Alteration.—The meetings which have been held for five weeks in the West Belleville Methodist Church are now to be held in the Bridge St. Church, commencing with to-morrow evening. The church officials are very sanguine of still greater success in the larger church. Mr. Noah Phelps, of St. Catharines, who has been so materially helping the meetings, is again in town, and will conduct all the meetings next week.

A Singular Case.—Calvin Pine, of Napanee, don't believe in witchcraft any more, for the simple reason that it don't pay. Recently he took sick and a Mrs. Parks diagnosed his case; said he was bewitched and further that she could cure him for $250. Pine paid the money, but as Mrs. Parks didn't cure him, he demanded it back emphasizing his request with a levelled pistol. For this act he was brought up, but after investigating the matter the complaint was dismissed.

Personals.—We were to-day favored with a visit from Mr. S. King, of the firm of Rabjohn, King & Co., ornamental foundrymen, Hamilton, who was *enroute* to Ottawa on business. Mr. King reports times dull in the "Ambitious City."—Mr. J. H. Brown, late of the Ontario Commercial College, Ottawa, also enlivened our sanctum with his cheerful phiz. We are pleased to know that Mr. Brown intends taking up his residence among us, having removed from Ottawa to a similar position in the College here.

Fire in Napanee.—Last evening about 8:50 a fire broke out in the second flat in the store of A. C. Davis & Bro., dry goods merchants, Napanee. The fire was first discovered in the dressmaking department, and soon made its appearance in the third flat. All the goods in the lower flat were speedily removed across the street to safe quarters, and were only damaged by the removal. But few goods were saved on the second and third flats on account of the intense heat and smoke. The three flats were flooded with water, but the building is not very much damaged by fire except the walls. The loss on goods and building is fully covered by insurance in the following companies:—Royal, $4,000 on stock ; Stadacona, $3,000 on building and $3,000 on stock ; Imperial, $3 000 on building; Queen's, $3,000 on stock. The origin of the fire is supposed to have been caused by the stove falling down, as the building had been cleaned during the day and a fire on to dry the rooms.

Police Court.

(Before A. Diamond, Esq., P. M.)

Saturday, March 31, 1877.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Philip O'Mealia was charged with disorderly conduct, and on the offence being proved, he was sent to jail for one month as a common vagrant.

NEGLECTING HIS WIFE.

Henry Lingley was charged with neglecting to support his wife and child George O. Alcorn appeared for the prosecution, and Hon. Lewis Wallbridge for the defence. The complainant, Mrs. Lingley, testified that she was married to the defendant in Trenton, on the 25th of February, 1876; that she had lived with him a short time, but was forced to leave him, on account of his abuse of her by choking her and tying her to a bedstead and tearing her clothing off her. Defendant went away in April last year, and only lately returned. The defendant had $3,000, but he had not given the complainant any money since April, 1876. The mother and sister of the prosecutrix gave evidence detailing the ill treatment of Mrs. Lingley by her husband. The Chief of Police was examined, and stated that the defendant had $550 with him when arrested. A fine of $50 and 1 month's imprisonment was imposed.

LARCENY.

Edward Wright was remanded until the 3rd of April.

Nathaniel Weese was sentenced to 20 days' hard labor for the larceny of $7.00 from Henry Covert.

INSULTING LADIES.

Joseph Fletcher, charged with insulting ladies on the street, was fined $5 00 and costs.

EXAMINATION TO 4TH BOOK.

On Thursday the Inspector examined all of Miss Templeton's seniors, 31 in number, for promotion to the 4th book. It was conducted on paper, and the highest number of marks that could be obtained by any pupil was 381, and the lowest 191.

The scholars passed an excellent examination, and are arranged below, in order of merit:—

1.	Lulu Lockwood,	363
2	Hattie Chown,	335
3.	Kitty Emmons,	331
4.	Minnie Gardner, Harry Johnston,	328
6	Alice Cumming,	323
7.	Edward Emmons,	316
8	Maggie Meudell, Alfred Lawrence,	310
10.	Willie Neilson	306
11.	Alice Dickens,	300
12	Addie Harrold, Frank Lewis;	292
14.	John Hampton,	287
15.	Richard North,	286
16.	Hattie Wilson,	281
17.	Nellie Snell,	280
18	Alice Craig,	276
19.	George Higgins,	273
20.	Ettie Pigden,	272
21.	Hattie Nunn,	271
22.	John McGuire,	264
23.	Irvine Courtenay,	263
24	Emily Shepard,	262
25.	John Holden,	257
26	Charlie Clarke,	254
27.	Donald Bleecker	249
28	Lottie Deacon,	241
29.	Joseph Gillen,	234
30.	Thompson Osborne,	231
31.	Willie Wallbridge,	216

Have used Giles' Liniment Iodide of Ammonia with great benefit. Cheerfuly recommend it to all who suffer from pain of any kind. SAM'L H. DEAN, Bank N. America, 44 Wall Street, New York.

THE TEMPERANCE QUESTION.

Hon. Senator Flint has been writing to the Montreal *Witness* on the Temperance Question, as now viewed by the political parties. He denies that he has any such object in view as some of his opponents assert, viz : the setting up of a third political party and to the destruction of the two now existing. Mr. Flint says in reply to this assertion :—"Not so. I have no such desire. All I want is for the real (not imaginary) friends of Prohibition, whether Conservative, Reform or Grit, if so called, to act together for the general good of the whole Dominion, which may be easily performed by all parties without fully ignoring the political party to whom they belong. Let this one great question take the preference, whether the Government is carried on by the one party or the other, without in any way interfering with any other questions that may be discussed by the members of the House of Commons."

He defends Dr. Shultz's motion now before the House, and claims that the Government alone should take the responsibility in reference to a Prohibitory Liquor Law. The Opposition want the co-operation of those friends of the Government who are in favor of the measure, in order to force the responsibility of either taking up the question or ignoring it. Will Mr. Flint say that the temperance professions of the Opposition are sincere, and that they have no intention of embarrassing the Government or aiming at a resumption of power when clamoring for a Prohibitory Liquor Law? Did the Conservative party, now the Opposition, manifest any more unity of purpose on this question than the Reformers, who now control the Government of the country? These are pertinent questions at the present time.

REMARKABLE SPEECH BY SENATOR PRICE.

An interesting volume might be compiled of the speeches of electioneering agents, if it could always be known what they say when fancying themselves beyond the reach of newspaper correspondents. Hon. David Price, Senator, has made some fearful speeches in Charlevoix, and extracts of one of them was dotted down at the time for publication in our columns. As will be seen, Mr. Price roundly abuses the Judges of the Supreme Court, and acknowledges himself to be a man of no religious principles at all. We give his language *verbatim*, simply remarking that it was used in a speech made at St. Urbain on the 21st inst.

"The Judges of the Supreme Court are not water-drinkers. They did not take the trouble of examining the records before rendering their judgment.

"The Anglican Church is as Catholic as the Church of Rome. All Christians are Catholic. By the judgment of the Supreme Court my religion is as much in danger as yours.

"The clergy are our representatives on earth; unfortunately but few are grateful for their services. You should preserve their confidence until death.

"Mr. Joly affirmed that an oath is a *formule banale*

"Xavier Cimon, who opposed Mr. Tremblay in 1872, was despised by all; he made his elections with money and liquor.

"Mr. Tremblay is Antichrist.

"The great question at issue is that of undue influence.

"Our duty is to support the bishops and the Pope.

"The judgment of the Supreme Court must be reversed. For the next two years that judgment will be discussed; you all will have learnt it by heart."

"The following is an extract from a letter addressed to a friend of Mr. Tremblay by the Hon. D. Price:—

"Mr. Langevin was condemned by a Protestant Judge through hatred of the Catholic religion.

"Tremblay is a Communist; if he were in France he would be elected Chief of the Communists."

Mr. Cimon, member for Chicoutimi, wrote to a friend with a recommendation to show the letter that Judge Taschereau's judgment was nonsense; that he had ridiculed the ecclesiastical immunity; that he had condemned the principles contained in the Bishop of Rimouski's pastoral.

Will Mr. Bowell, the Conservative Grand Master of the Orangemen of Ontario, repeat and defend the speech of his friend, Mr. Price, to his constituents in Ontario?—*Quebec Telegraph*, 26th inst.

—The new Turkish Chamber of Deputies has approved of the rejection of the proposal of the Constantinople Conference. The intended cession of territory to Montenegro was strongly condemned.

OUR PUZZLES.

☞ All correspondence relating to this department must be addressed "Puzzle Editor," Box 336, Belleville. The author's name must accompany all contributions.

ACROSTIC.

In Greek and Roman fabulous history
You'll find the names mentioned in the following mystery;
The initials of which, when placed rightly together,
Will give a word connected somewhat with the weather.

The Goddess of Love is the first that is given;
The second is said to have tried to scale heaven;
The third is a youth changed into a flower;
The fourth by weeping turned to stone in an hour;
The fifth is an Argonaut in music well skilled;
The last, a son of Mars, by his brother was killed.

The Editor.

***Solutions to the above must contain all the names mentioned.

PUZZLES.

1. What body was it that walked and talked and never received salvation?

2. It warms in the sun, refreshes in the breeze,
Glows in the stars and blossoms in the trees,
Lives through all life, extends through all extent.
Spreads undivided, and operates unspent.

3. What is it that is from two to six feet in height? It is in existence; it is neither animal nor vegetable, human nor Divine, and is much spoken of in the Old Testament and highly recommended in the New.
Jessie A Trumper.

4 Transpose the letters of the two words "New door" so as to form one word.
Jack.

5. "P R S V R Y P R F C T M N
V R K P T H S P R C P T S T N.
The above is inscribed under the ten commandments in the Chancel of a church in England, and only one letter is wanted to make good English of it; the letter is to be used as often as needed. What is the letter? and what will it read?
M. F. A.

PUZZLES FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

1. B O E D, What nine words are here given?
2. What lives in the winter, dies in the summer and grows with the roots upward?
3. Two brothers we are, great burdens we bear,
By which we are bitterly pressed;
In truth we can say, we are full all the day,
And empty when we go to rest.
Selected.

CHAT WITH CONTRIBUTORS.

Since we had the last chat with our contributors, we have received numerous letters from them, of a very flattering nature. We are pleased to learn therefore, that our efforts to make this department interesting have not been in vain. We shall endeavor to make it still more interesting in the future, and to that end we ask the hearty co-operation of our many friends. We hope to be able, in our next "chat," to make an announcement that will convince our readers that we appreciate their good wishes.

Jessie A. Trumper, (Chapman) Your puzzles received, accepted, welcomed and published in this issue. We hope you will continue to favor us with good things.

Jack, (Stirling) Transposition appears above. Solutions correct.

Alice Maud.—We cannot publish your "Square Words" until you furnish us with the answers, accompanied by your name in full.

J, J. Peake.—You are not forgotten. Your Acrostic has been accepted and would have appeared before this, had we not so many Acrostics awaiting their turn. It will positively appear next week.

Grammar School Boy.—Acrostic accepted and will appear as soon as we get through with those we have on hand. We cannot use No. 2 at present unless differently arranged. Answer to Scriptural Enigma correct.

Emma Allen, (Marlbank)—Solutions to puzzles of March 9th and 16th correct. Try the Scriptural Enigma again.

William Curtis.—Your answer is not the right one, yet we could not help smiling when we read it.

Now good friends we leave you for a week; until then, send us as many puzzles and solutions as you can.

☞ Solutions to puzzles of March 3rd will appear next week.

Money Market, as Reported at the Exchange Office of U. E. Thompson.

Belleville, March 31.

Greenbacks buying at	94½ to 94¾
" selling at	95¼ to 95¾
American Silver buying at	45
British Silver	15
Sterling exchange	184½

Gold opened at 105 ; closed at 105.

☞ Thousands of people are now carelessly allowing themselves to drift through the preliminary symptoms of consumption, under the fatal delusion that they are troubled with nothing but a "slight cold," How necessary is it, than, that a cold should be cared for from its incipiency, and every exertion used to get rid of it. "Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers" will stop the hacking cough in a few minutes, and by their influence on the bronchial and pulmonary organs all fears of dangerous results will soon be dissipated—but they must be taken in time. Sold by all druggists and country dealers at 35 cents per box.

Electricity! Thomas' Excelsior Eclectric Oil!—Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold.—Pain cannot stay where it is used. It is the cheapest medicine ever made. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years'standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters that have been received from different parts of Canada, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical : J. Collard, of Sparta, Ont., writes, "Send me 6 dozen Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have sold all I had from you, and want more now; its cures are truly wonderful." Wm. McGuire, of Franklin, writes, "I have sold all the agent left, it acts like a charm—it was slow at first, but takes splendidly now." H. Cole, of Iona, writes, "Please forward 6 dozen Thomas' Eclectric Oil, I am nearly out, nothing equals it. It is highly recommended by those who have used it." J. Bedford, Thamesville, writes, "Send at once a further supply of Eclectric Oil, I have only one bottle left. I never saw anything sell so well and give such general satisfaction." J. Thompson, Woodford, writes, "Send me some more Eclectric Oil. I have sold entirely out. Nothing takes like it." Miller & Reid, Ulverton, P. Q., write, "The Eclectric Oil is getting a great reputation here, and is daily called for. Send us a further supply without delay."

Beware of Imitation.—Ask for Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Lyman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25 cts. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

Note—Eclectric—Selected and Electrized

Died.

At the residence of Mrs. K. Trumpour Hungerford, March 19th 1877, Mary, relict of Garret Cool aged 77 years 2 months 19 days.

THE GREAT SHOSHONEES REMEDY AND PILLS.

The success that these medicines have met with since their introduction to the public some years ago, proves plainly to the most skeptical that they are medicines that perform what they are advertised to. The virtues of these medicines have been well tested, and have withstood their trial in the most satisfactory manner. For diseases of the Blood, Liver, Lungs, &c., they are unsurpassed. We have testimonials of marvellous cures of these diseases, and of many others. If any one is afflicted, let him try a bottle of the Remedy and a box of Pills. No injurious effects will follow their use to the most delicate person, as they are purely vegetable; there being no mineral matter in them. The cost is small, while the advantages derived from their use will doubly repay you for your expenses and trouble. The medicines are widely known throughout the Dominion, and are for sale by the principal medicine dealers. Try them, and be convinced that these medicines are no humbug. No one who has tried the Shoshonees Pills has ever pronounced an unfavorable opinion of them, and no family where they have been used will be without them. Full information may be had on all particulars touching the use, and the experience of those who have used them, by securing the Treatise or the Circular from any druggist in the Dominion, Free. Price of the Remedy in pint bottles $1; Pills 25 cents a box.

E GREAT FEMALE REMEDY.

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of those painful and dangerous diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, from whatever cause.

TO MARRIED LADIES

t is peculiarly suited, and although very powerful contains nothing hurtful to the constitution.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on Slight Exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, it will effect a cure when all other means have failed. The pamphlet around each package has full directions and advice, or will be sent free to all writing for it, sealed from observation.

JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, SOLE PROPRIETO

$2.00 and 12½ cents for postage, enclosed to North Lyman, Toronto, Ont., general agents for the Dominion, will insure a bottle, containing over 50 pills, by return mail

For sale by all the Druggists in Belleville, C. G. Wilson, Madoc, G. H. Boulter, Stirling, W. T. Barker, Trenton and all medicine dealers.

FRESH SUPPLIES.

FINEST XXX PASTRY FLOUR,
CHOICE SPRING WHEAT FLOUR
GRAHAM FLOUR,
GLASGOW BROSE MEAL,
CHOICE OATMEAL,
CRACKED WHEAT,
CORN MEAL.
POT BARLEY,
PEARL BARLEY,
SPLIT PEAS,
PEARL HOMINY,
FLAKE TAPIOCA,
PEARL SAGO,
GROUND RICE,
HECKER'S FARINA,
ARROWROOT,
MACCARONI,
VERMICELLI,
Etc., Etc.

GEORGE WALLBRIDGE
Grocer and Wine Merchant.
March 28 1877.

C C C
WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
HAT WINDOW

C C C
WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
Gents' Furnishings Window.

C C C
WM. JOHNSON & CO.'S
STOCK OF HATS.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT!

CLEARING SALE
At Store No. 351 Front Street,
Belleville, of the following goods, without reserve,
AT AND UNDER COST,
Which will be found worthy of attention
Ladies Underclothing, Ladies Corsets, Infants Sewed Muslin Embroidered Robes, Plain and Fancy Laces, Sewed Muslin Embroideries, Washing Trimmings in great variety, Silk and Worsted Embroidery Braids, Silk & Velvet Ribbons, Fancy Colored Crapes, Silk and Wool Barege, Colored Silk Velvets and Satins, Berlin Wools, Fleecy, Leviathan, and Fingering Yarns, *Berlin Wool Patterns in Great Variety*. Silk Tassels and Shaded Embroidering Silks. An early inspection solicited.
Liberal Discount made to all Church Sewing Societies.
JOHN COURTENAY,
March 13, 1877.

HOOEY & SON

BEG to inform the inhabitants of Belleville and vicinity that they will open out about the First of March in the stand formerly occupied by MR. TILLINGHAST,
Opposite the Glasgow Warehouse,
With a well selected stock of
FINE GROCERIES,
HAVANA CIGARS, TOBACCOS,
AND TOBACCONISTS GOODS
We invite an inspection of our goods, and feel confident that we can give satisfaction.
☞ Remember the stand, No. 265, opposite the Glasgow Warehouse.
HOOEY & SON,
Feb. 27, 1877. ly

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned will please call and settle their accounts either by CASH or NOTE, on or before the First day of May next, or they will be placed in COURT for collection.
DR. D. E. BURDETT.
Belleville, March 21st, 1877. [d&w1m

BEST IN THE WORLD. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

U. S. Ship Albany, New York, Sept. 15, 1852, Mr. Wm. B. Little, 160 Hanover St., Boston.

Sir: I will thank you to send me five dollars worth of Parsons & Co's Vermin and Insect Exterminator in size boxes such as I bought of you in November last, each, by retail, twenty-five cents. This is the only thing of the kind I have ever met with which accomplishes all that is claimed for it.
James T. Gerry, Commander.

GRAND OPENING DAY
—AT—
FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL'S
On THURSDAY, APRIL 5th,
When we will show the Most Extensive and Elegant Assortment of
LONDON AND PARIS PATTERN HATS,
BONNETS, COSTUMES & MANTLES
Ever exhibited at one time in Belleville.
ALL OUR NEW GOODS ARE NOW TO HAND,
and have been personally selected by our own buyer, and for
EXTRA CHOICE STYLES.
Surpasses all we have hitherto been able to place before our Customers.
☞ We invite the inspection of the Ladies.
FOSTER, BARBER & BRIGNALL.
March 31, 1877.

ROME FALLS.
FREE TRADE TRIUMPHANT.
CHEAP JOHN!
SELLING OUT
HIS IMMENSE STOCK
For the Benefit of His Creditors.
Commencing on Monday March the 26th,
CHEAP JOHN
WILL OFFER HIS ENTIRE STOCK OF
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Ready-Made Clothing Boots and Shoes,
Hardware, Crockery, &c.
In Lots to Suit Purchasers, at Prices
LESS THAN COST OF PRODUCTION.
As his whole stock
MUST BE SOLD WITHIN 20 DAYS
All desirous of obtaining
GREAT BARGAINS
WILL CALL EARLY.
COUNTRY MERCHANTS will find this an EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY to Replenish their Stocks as the Goods WILL BE SOLD at Prices Much Lower than they can be IMPORTED FOR.
Remember this Large and Well Assorted Stock of New Goods Must Positively be Sold WITHIN 20 DAYS.
REMEMBER THIS ALSO, that when CHEAP JOHN CLOSES the public may expect HIGH PRICES AGAIN.
COME ONE. COME ALL.
AND OBTAIN GREAT BARGAINS FROM
CHEAP JOHN,
At his New Store, Robertson's Block, Next Door to the Red Front Store

CALL AT THE
DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE
339 FRONT STREET, BELLEVILLE,
And INSPECT the IMMENSE STOCK DAILY ARRIVING
ALL THE LATEST STYLES.
GOODS SHOWN WITH PLEASURE
JOHN GRANT.

FANCY AND SPORTING GOODS DEPOT
338 FRONT STREET, Entrance to Foot Bridge.
GOODS AT COST.
BARGAINS. BARGAINS.
Now is the Time! SALE CONTINUES ONLY ONE WEEK
FRED S. HAINES.

HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS That R HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS HATS
NEW AMERICAN, ENGLISH, AND CANADIAN
SPRING HATS
FURS AT MANUFACTURERS COST!
AT GOLDSMITH & DAVENPORT'S
OLD STAND

ALL KINDS OF FRAMES
MADE TO ORDER,
By an Experienced Workman,
AT WALLACE'S
Photo Gallery, Robertson's Block.
WANTED.—A few good Canvassers for Photographic Enlargements.
D. J. WALLACE.

SEEDS. SEEDS.
JUST RECEIVED
A Large and Well-Selected Stock of
CHOICE SEEDS!
From the most reliable growers in England, France and United States.
True to Name and 1876 Growth
APOTHECARIES HALL
J. H. HAMBLY.

A WISE TEACHER—A BOY SAVED.

A boy fifteen years old had been flogged and harshly treated at home and at school until he had lost his self-respect, and became utterly reckless of his character. So bad, indeed, was he, that the trustees in his native district had caused his expulsion from the public school. His father, almost in despair, requested a teacher in the neighboring district, who was known for his great success in managing the worst boys, to try his son. On entering the school, the teacher lent him an interesting book, telling him he might read it the first day, and not commence to study until he had become acquainted with the place. That night he told the boy he thought him capable of becoming one of the best scholars in the school, and that if he would try to excel, he should have every opportunity afforded him, which would enable him to disappoint the expectations of everybody. The poor outcast opened his eyes with astonishment, amazed that any one should speak kindly to and be interested in him. For several weeks he seemed to forget his wayward habits, and devoted his mind to study with remarkable success, to the surprise of all who knew his history. One day he became very angry because the teacher would not aid him, at the moment in solving a problem. He laid down his books and sat nursing his wrath, and when the teacher found leisure and offered to aid him, he tartly replied, "I do not wish it." When the school was closed the boy was requested to remain, doubtless expecting a flogging, as in former times; but what was his astonishment when the teacher sat down by his side and said, "Thomas, I thought you were willing, and meant to be a good boy, and I had given you a good name among all your acquaintances, which seemed to give them great joy. Must I now go and tell them that all my hopes for you are crushed, and that all my kindness toward, and efforts to help you, are lost?" Thomas wept under this appeal, for he had expected the whip or expulsion from school; and from that hour his reformation was confirmed. After he had found that one at least, "cared for his soul," he became an excellent scholar, and was known for exemplary conduct, and a more worthy man than he now is can not be found in that neighborhood. He dates the turning point of his life and character to that hour with the teacher at the close of the school on that eventful day.

Now, suppose the teacher had allowed his anger to be provoked by the boy's sullen insolence, and he had scolded and whipped him, as others had done, instead of arousing the boy's benevolence and friendship, and awakening his self-respect and regard for the opinion of others, he would have gone from that school but an outcast and an Ishmael.—*Phrenological Journal.*

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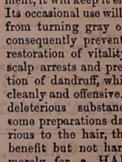

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